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To the CEO of Australian Swimming

Dear Glenn,

RE: National Women's Head Coach

I am writing in reference to the positions advertised on the Australian Swimming Inc web site in the week ending 14th of September.

Please accept my application for the following positions:

1. National Women's Head Coach

I am currently employed in a full time capacity by the Queensland Academy of Sport as the Head Coach of the Swimming program. It is with this in mind that I feel I am qualified to apply for the part time position of Head Women's Coach.

As outlined in my enclosed resume', I am confident in knowing I have the necessary qualifications, achievements, skills and abilities to perform the duties of this position with distinction.

As you are already aware I am currently fighting charges laid against me. I am aware that you would not be able to consider me if I was to be found guilty, but my solicitors and barristers are certain that they will win the case, and I will be found not guilty of all charges.

My solicitors are very positive in their beliefs on the outcome of this case, so much so that they have engaged a PR company to act on my behalf after I am found not guilty. Further more a submission has been placed with the Public Prosecutors, for the case to be dismissed. An answer has not been forthcoming as yet, and even if unsuccessful we are hopeful of finishing the trial by November.

I firmly believe that I am the best candidate for this position and would hope that it is important enough for Australian Swimming to give me every chance of clearing my name before making your final decision.

Being innocent until proven guilty is a joke, but I hope Australian Swimming will take the service I have given them over the last 12 years into account when deciding on the expediency of this position.

I am looking forward to your response and I would be willing to attend an interview at your convenience.

I will out of the country from the 19 th to the 30 th September.

Yours Sincerely,

Scott Volkers
QAS - Head Coach Swimming