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Dear Sirs{ FORMTEXT }

SALVATION ARMY ATS EP
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We refer to the above and to our correspondence dated 24 September 2002, requesting further documentation and note that we have not received your reply to date.

We have now been advised by the costs consultant engaged to prepare a report on the reasonableness of costs in relation to the abovementioned settlements, of the fact that her report will have to be qualified unless the following further documentation is provided for her consideration prior to the completion of such report:

- (a) Copies of Costs Agreements of Beilby Poulden & Costello with the plaintiffs.
- (b) Copy time records containing hourly rates charged and the time spent in relation to each item.
- (c) Copy Costs Agreements with Counsel, containing details of their charge out rates and actual memos of fees that were discounted.
- (d) Copy of an account of time billing disclosing the amount of the actual costs claimed from Mr EP before discounting was applied.
- (e) Please advise of the rates charged for photocopying and faxes.

We note that you have also been requested to provide the same information in relation to the recently settled claims brought by ET and FR.

Please note that in the absence of the abovementioned information, we are instructed that the legal costs consultant will not be in a position to provide an informed opinion on the reasonableness of the solicitors/client costs included in the settlement of your clients' claims brought against the Salvation Army.

Please advise at your earliest convenience whether you are in a position to provide the abovementioned materials in order to enable our legal costs consultant to prepare a report in accordance with the pending District Court timetable. We note that this matter is listed for a call over in the District Court on 25 October 2002 and your early reply is appreciated.

Yours faithfully
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