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**The Salvation Army****Australia Eastern Territory****Personal Injuries Complaints Committee**

**Thursday 25 February 2010  
3.00pm**

**MINUTES**

<b>PRESENT</b>	Lieut-Col Philip Cairns	Chair
	Major Jan Cairns	Member
	Major Howard Smartt	Member
	Major Robyn Smartt	Member
	Luke Geary	Member
	Ian Powell	Member
	Sandy Foster	Secretary
<b>APOLOGIES</b>	Major Cecil Woodward	Member
	Lynden Hopper	Member
<b>PRAYER</b>	Major Howard Smartt	
<b>INTRODUCTION</b>	Majors Howard and Robyn Smartt and Luke Geary were welcomed on the Committee as members of PICC. Overview by Phil Cairns explaining the purposes and processes of PICC.	

**MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**

FF [ ] RS and HS visited FF [ ] 28/01/10.. FF [ ] has accepted TSA apology and offer of counselling. An exgratia payment will be offered, however the amount will be determined when more information regarding abuse is gained from the Psychologist. LG to contact Psychologist Tash Dakos re: client progress.

(See file: FF [ ])

**Ray Carlile** RS & HS visited Ray 22/01/10. The Committee acknowledge his account of what happened as true and acknowledges the profound impact this has had on him. An offer of \$100,000 to be made to him as well as the offer of counselling. RS and HS to do a follow up visit and offer this amount to him in person.

(see file: Ray Carlile)

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**NEW MATTERS**

FB

Noted that FB was in care for 5 years. However only 4 months of that time was spent in Riverview (Oct '71 – Mar '72). RS to write to FB asking for more specific information particularly in relation to the time of his father's death.

(see file: FB )

HL

RS to visit on 10/11 March at John Esther Centre.

ER

Letter has been received by Halletts Law firm detailing complaint by ER. LG to respond to solicitor's letter and investigate facts surrounding this claim before we can action.

(See file: ER)

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9 cases have been resolved with a total of \$500,000 paid out to claimants including costs.

REDAC	\$90,000
EJ	\$70,000
HE	\$60,000
EV	\$60,000
EW	\$50,000
GQ	\$50,000
Lutny	\$20,000
FY	\$50,000

Thanks to John Dalziel

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EK

\$50,000 to remain as unconditional offer. Amount to be increased to \$60,000 if EK agrees to undergo counselling because of the re-traumatisation experienced in recounting his story in writing and in face to face interview. RS to write to SC

(See file: EK)

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FX

RS to write to FX and let him know that a loan is not possible under the TSA regulations. Refer him to Moneycare for assistance.

(See file: FX)

**Riverview Reunion**

TSA to pay for the framing of the Prime Minister's Apology. Reunion to take place on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> August. RS & HS to attend. Honour book to be presented to them.

SF to phone  – contact for Reunion.

**NEXT MEETING**

Friday 26 March  
9am  
Level 9 Meeting Room



*Howard Smith* 26/3/10