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Dear Royal Commission Solicitor

On behalf of BCG in response to the Submissions of Senior Counsel Assisting the Royal Commission served on 25 September 2015, it is respectfully requested that the Findings reflect in addition to F24, findings that:

- BCG was told by the elders to not report the abuse to the police.
- The Jehovah's Witness teachings and culture are such that a survivor of sexual abuse would believe that they are sinning if they did report the matter outside of the congregation.

Kind regards
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1. Submissions of Senior Counsel Assisting the Royal Commission (SUBM.0029.001.0001)
2. ORD.0029.008.0001 - Direction not to Publish re written submissions – dated 25 September 2015 (O-PU-CTH-29-8)

Regards

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