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Dear Royal Commission,

my submission is simple

victims should be compensated to return them to the position they would have otherwise have been in, and enjoyed throughout their life, that they were in before the abuse took place, as much as money can. Where the perpetrator institution is unable to pay, the state or commonwealth should pay in their place. Any other outcome is an unjustifiable betrayal of the victims.

My only other comment is that churches, most notably the catholic church, must be sued as a legal person, and if they will not pay, retrieving the money is easy, it should be placed as a charge against the land of their main cathedral in each capital city, and against land owned radiating outward geographically from such. The churches either pay up or be eradicated from our society, literally wiped off the map. its not rocket science and its insulting to let them get away with it by not doing this. Theyll pay or leave.

Where the organisation is not a church, the money should be retrieved like any other debt following the principles of "tracing" (a legal term of art that basically means to get it back from wherever it went) with the government filling in any shortfall to putting victims back in the position they were in if the abuse had not happened.

regards
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