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Mr Mark Waters  
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MELBOURNE**By email:** [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Waters

**Witness F**

We refer to your letter dated 26 February 2010 concerning the Petra Taskforce.

We note your instructions that your client has been persistently contacted by members of the Petra Taskforce on the basis of allegedly providing her with "witness management and support". We confirm that members of the Petra Taskforce have been in regular contact with your client for the purposes including witness management and support. This contact has often been at your client's instigation.

We note your request that our client take immediate steps to ensure that there is no further direct contact from members of the Petra Taskforce. We confirm that, subject to further notification from you or your client, members of the Petra Taskforce will make no further direct contact with your client unless it is necessary to ensure her safety.

In the event that your client has any concerns in the future concerning their safety, our client urges her to contact Victoria Police directly whether through the Petra Taskforce or via "000".

If you have any queries, please contact David Ryan on [REDACTED].

Yours faithfully  
Victorian Government Solicitor's OfficeDavid Ryan  
Managing Principal Solicitor