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ENQUIRIES TO: Peter Cochrane

22nd February 2011

Dr David Solomon AM
Queensland Integrity Commissioner
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Dear Dr. Solomon

LOBBYING PROVISIONS OF THE INTEGRITY ACT 2009

I refer to your letter of the 3rd February 2011 seeking submissions regarding the implementation of the lobbying provisions.

Information sessions regarding the lobbying provisions have been held with Councillors and senior staff and systems have been established to register the information needed when making contact with lobbyists. There appears to be some clarification required regarding incidental lobbying activities and how Council officer can determine this activity quickly and efficiently. Another issue relates to maintaining records regarding telephone discussions held by Council staff and registered lobbyists. A register of one-to-one meetings is in place, however records relating to telephone conversations will perhaps rely more on diary notes.

Some further clarification on these matters would certainly be of assistance.

Yours faithfully



Terry Brennan
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER