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The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP
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Dear Minister,

Thank you for your correspondence on behalf of Mr Anthony Smith regarding allegations of identity theft and misconduct by police.

The NSW Government and the NSW Police Force (NSWPF) take all complaints regarding policing very seriously. Complaints against employees of the NSWPF are managed in accordance with Part 8A of the *Police Act 1990*. Independent oversight of this process is exercised by the Law Enforcement Conduct Commission.

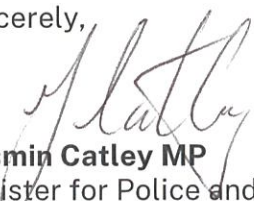
I am advised that the allegations raised by Mr Smith have been fully investigated by the NSWPF's Kings Cross Police Area Command (PAC) on a number of occasions. Police have also engaged with Mr Smith over a period of time in relation to his concerns and he has been informed that there is insufficient evidence to substantiate claims of identity theft.

I am further advised that on 8 July 2025, an officer from Kings Cross PAC spoke with Mr Smith to further discuss his concerns, where he was provided with additional information on the outcome of the investigation by police.

Should Mr Smith have further concerns, please encourage him to contact Kings Cross PAC on (02) 8356 0099.

Thank you for writing about this matter.

Sincerely,



Yasmin Catley MP
Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism
Minister for the Hunter