

Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019

Mr John McKenzie  
Legal Services Commissioner  
Office of the Legal Services Commissioner  
Level 9, 75 Castlereagh Street  
Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Mr McKenzie

***Re: My letter to Ms Radhika Withana of 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019 in relation to your conduct***

I refer to the above and to your letter of 17<sup>th</sup> April 2019, as received by me this day.

Firstly, given its content, it appears to me that your letter was written solely for the benefit of Ms Radhika Withana of Counsel (to whom it was copied) rather than being written for my actual attention.

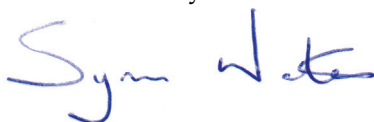
You ascribe me writing to Ms Withana as wholly inappropriate. It is not up to you to declare to whom I should or should not write, and furthermore, I would say that writing to Ms Withana is far less an inappropriate behaviour than covering up solicitor misconduct.

You state in your letter that I have no involvement in Supreme Court proceedings 2018/00197067 and 2018/00214619. Indeed, you are quite correct, however I make that reasonably clear in my letter to Ms Withana of 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019. I am unsure as to your point.

I note also that your letter makes no actual comment to the content of my correspondence to Ms Withana, nor have you provided any denial to the facts and allegations laid out therein. Again, I am left wondering as to the actual point of your letter.

In the closing paragraph of your short missive, you refer to matters as supposedly dealt with by your office, however, as quite succinctly laid out in my correspondence to Ms Withana of Counsel of 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019, those matters were in fact never dealt with in the first instance and continue to remain unresolved.

Yours faithfully



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cc Ms Radhika Withana, Barrister