

June 2016

Making allegations of corrupt conduct public Is it in the public interest?

Submission form

Lodging a submission

Send your submission to us by **5pm Thursday 30 June 2016** by any of the following methods:

Online: < www.ccc.qld.gov.au/publicisingallegations/>

Post: Publicising allegations

Crime and Corruption Commission

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Email: publicisingallegations@ccc.qld.gov.au

Fax: 07 3360 6333

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Do you wish to maintain partial or complete confidentiality?

We will generally publish submissions on our website — including the name of the submitter but no contact details. If you would prefer to maintain partial or complete confidentiality, please indicate your preference by selecting one of the following:

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If you provide your details, we may contact you to ask whether you consent to further consultation for the purposes of this project.

Your details

Provide as much or as little information as you wish.

Name(s):	
Organisation:	
Address:	
Phone:	Mobile: Fax:
Email:	

Your submission

You may wish to address the following considerations in your submission.

Open, transparent and accountable government

A important need if integrity processes are to be maintained. While total transparency often creates feelings of great vulnerability -it is needed as it is the platform for truth.

Freedom of speech

I totally support freedom of speech as uncomfortable itmay be at times with a caveat on "hate preachers" who need to be censored:

Reputation of alleged subject officers

Low key media releases emphasisizing allegation until final ruling known.

Fair trial

Transparency and impartially critical.

Effectiveness of the CCC

Mixed feelings re its effectiveness; however it is a necessary "watchdog" to maitain integrity of our governance systems. .

Other

Whistle blowers (particularly public servants) must not be prosecuted as truth must always prevail even if it is an embarrasment to a department. It is the only real vehicle for meaningful change and improved governance systems.



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