

MCWATERS, Joshua

From: CURTIS, Stephanie
Sent: Friday, 23 March 2012 2:28 PM
To: ALLEN-WATERS, Colin
Cc: CASE, Steven; COLLIER, Ken; REYNOLDS, Paul; MASSINGHAM, Kathryn; VALENTINE, Phillip
Subject: RE: URGENT - School Incident Alert Notification - Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contra

Colin

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest inform

has provided an update to the recent incident.

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Principal Education Officer
Regional Services
North Coast Region
Ph: 3881 9649



School Incident
Alert Notifica...

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Sent: Tuesday, 20 March 2012 1:19 PM
To: ALLEN-WATERS, Colin
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Importance: High

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<< File: School Incident Alert Notification Section 47(3)(b) of the DOC >>

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From: CURTIS, Stephanie
Sent: Tuesday, March 20, 2012 10:33 AM
To: ALLEN-WATERS, Colin
Cc: CASE, Steven; COLLIER, Ken; REYNOLDS, Paul; MASSINGHAM, Kathryn; VALENTINE, Phillip
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Section 47(3)(b) will contact me directly with any updates.

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School Incidents Alert Notification

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*Region to provide dot points concerning critical incidents involving staff or students.
RD to approve all incident reports*

Statement as at: 10:20am 20/03/12**Status:** New**School:** s.47(3)(b) - Contrary to Public Interest**Region:** North Coast Region**School Contact Name:** s.47(3)(b) - Contrary to Public Interest**Region Contact Name:** Stephanie Curtis**Telephone:** s.47(3)(b) - Contrary to Public Interest**Telephone:** 3881 9644**Date of incident:** 20 March 2012**Incident involving:**

Parent, students and staff member

Nature of incident:

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest

Emergency services involvement: Yes**Lockdown:** No**Media involvement:** No**Summary:**

- During 2011, the father of s.47(3)(b) - Contrary to Public Interest died

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Actions

- Senior Guidance Officer is currently at the school to support staff and students
- School Chaplain (who has previously worked with the family) is going to the Section 47(3)(b) of the Rs house to offer support

Outcome

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Risks

What are the identified risks and how are they being mitigated or managed?

- Significant impact to students and local community
- Support being provided by Senior Guidance Officer and School Chaplain

Media

Have CCM been advised?

- Senior Guidance Officer is contacting CCM

Have any media outlets arrived or approached school?

- **Not yet**

Updates:

Region to complete this section only when/if updating information

- Principal provided an update at 1:10pm

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

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- The Senior Guidance Officer is drafting a note to go home to parents to offer support to students.

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Date of update:

- **1:10pm 20/03/12**

Approval

APPROVED – Y
PRINCIPAL

APPROVED – Y
REGIONAL DIRECTOR

APPROVED Y/N
ASSISTANT D-G



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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: HARDING, John
Sent: Monday, 22 October 2012 10:59 AM
To: CCM, Media; Alert, School
Cc: DIXON, Clive; HUELIN, Richard; DAY, Carmel; RODGERS, Scott; JONES, Robert;
Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest inform DAVEY, Katie
Subject: RE: School Incident Alert Notification - Section 47(3)(b) 22 October 2012.docx
Attachments: School Incident Alert Notification - Section 47(3)(b) 22 October 2012.docx

From: HARDING, John
Sent: Monday, 22 October 2012 9:15 AM
To: CCM, Media; Alert, School
Cc: DIXON, Clive; HUELIN, Richard; DAY, Carmel; RODGERS, Scott; JONES, Robert; Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co
Subject: School Incident Alert Notification - Section 47(3)(b) of 22 October 2012.docx

School Incidents Alert Notification


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**Region to provide dot points concerning critical incidents involving staff or students.
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Statement as at: 22 October 2012

Status: New

School: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to pu

Region: Far North Queensland Region

School Contact Name: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI

Region Contact Name: John Harding

Telephone: Section 47(3)(b) of the R

Telephone: 4091 0820

Date of incident: 22 Oct 2012

Incident involving: *(delete non-applicable categories)*

Other

Nature of incident: *(delete non-applicable categories)*

Death

Emergency services involvement: Yes Police/Ambulance

Lockdown: No

Media involvement: Not at this stage

Summary:

- On 22 October 2012 Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act has come to work and found a man's body Section 47(3)(b) of the RT
Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Actions

- The Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI has come to school at Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary and has noticed a car outside the school and then later, what appears to be a man in a covered play area at the back of the school.
- Section 47(3)(b) of the R does not approach the man but phones the Principal immediately Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contra
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- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information
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- Principal phones 000 and speaks with QPS officer who asks him to go to the body and confirm a number of details.
- QPS and Ambulance then attend the scene and establish to undertake their investigations and to provide support to the staff and other community persons present.
- As today is a pupil free day and most staff will not be attending school the Principal is planning a number of actions for today and tomorrow.
- The body appears to be a male person of approximately 18 – 20 years old.

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Outcome

- Principal working with QPS.
- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information have been provided with immediate support and referrals by attending Ambulance officers.
- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information Principal and all affected staff Principal are being provided with contact details of Employee Advisor services.
- Guidance staff will be in attendance to work with students and their parents upon commencement of school on Tuesday.
- Principal will be contacting all staff to advise them of incident.
- Principal developing a communication strategy with his school community.

Risks

What are the identified risks and how are they being mitigated or managed?

- Significant community and media interest interfering with learning program.

Media

Have CCM been advised?

- In this email

Have any media outlets arrived or approached school?

- **Not at this stage**

Updates:

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Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information Principal of Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information is developing support and communication strategies if this proves to be true.
- Also updated Principal's phone contact details.

Date of update:

- 11:00 am, 22 October 2012

Approval

APPROVED – Y

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

PRINCIPAL

APPROVED – Y

Clive Dixon
REGIONAL DIRECTOR

APPROVED Y/N

ASSISTANT D-G



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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: BUTLER, Wayne
Sent: Monday, 22 October 2012 9:05 AM
To: CLARKE, Shelley; CCM, Media
Subject: RE: School Incident Alert Notification - [Section 47(3)(b) of] docx

Yes Approved
Wayne

Wayne Butler

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From: CLARKE, Shelley
Sent: Monday, 22 October 2012 8:58 AM
To: BUTLER, Wayne
Cc: WOOD, Paul
Subject: School Incident Alert Notification - [Section 47(3)(b) of] docx

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Hi Wayne

The draft of the Alert; please advise of any changes that need to be made.

Cheers

Shelley

Shelley Clarke
Principal Advisor Education Services
Central Queensland Region
Emerald/Longreach Offices
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Mob: [Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI A]

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From: HARRISON, Jennifer
Sent: Friday, 12 October 2012 5:07 PM
To: CCM, Media; Alert, School
Cc: HOPPNER, Glen; KNOWLES, Samantha; SIEGMEIER, Melinda; LLOYD, Robyn; CASSAR, Elaine; HALL, Angie; O'LEARY, Anne
Subject: RE: School alert - Section 47(3)(b) of the R - UPDATE
Attachments: School Alert Section 47(3)(b) of the R - Update.docx

Dear All

Please find attached UPDATED school alert from Section 47(3)(b) of the R

Cheers

Jen

Jennifer Harrison

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Training and Employment (DETE)

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**Region to provide dot points concerning critical incidents involving staff or students.
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Statement as at: 3:45pm

Status: New

School: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to pu

Region: South East Region

School Contact Name: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co

Region Contact Name: Anne O'Leary

Telephone: Section 47(3)(b) of the

Telephone: 38049621

Electorate:

Date of incident: 12 October 2012

Incident involving: (delete non-applicable categories)

Student

Nature of incident: (delete non-applicable categories)

Harm.....

Emergency services involvement: Yes QPS

Lockdown: No

Media involvement: No

Summary:

- Male Section 47(3)(b) student arrived at school this morning and attended class at 8:50.
- He was wearing school uniform with non school uniform hooded jacket with hood up. He refused to take the hood off and left the classroom during roll check
- Teacher informed Deputy Principal that the student had left the classroom
- DP located student in school grounds and attempted to communicate with student
- Student suggested he would not remove hood because Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to pu
- Student left school grounds and onto main road. DP returned to inform Principal – parent contacted immediately by school
- Parent and student's Section 47(3)(b) came to school. DP and Principal conducted search of school grounds. Parent conducted search of local area in his car
- DP contacted QPS. Police advised Section 47(3)(b) to attend police station, which she did
- Parents decided to wait in and around school until 3:00pm Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

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- It was reported to principal by parent that the boy left during the night returning at 5:00am this morning

Actions

- Principal will keep in contact with parent throughout the evening

Outcome

- Child has not been found at this stage
- Parents are working with QPS

Risks

What are the identified risks and how are they being mitigated or managed?

- Harm to child

Media

Have CCM been advised?

- Through this alert

Have any media outlets arrived or approached school?

- no

Updates:

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- **At approximately 4:50pm today the principal was notified by the QPS that the boy had been found near his father's home.**

- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

- **Guidance services are being implemented for the assistance of the family and child.**

Date of update:

- **12 October 2012**

Approval

**APPROVED – Y
PRINCIPAL**

**APPROVED – Y
REGIONAL DIRECTOR**

**APPROVED Y/N
ASSISTANT D-**



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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: AYERS, Katherine
Sent: Thursday, 7 June 2012 2:42 PM
To: Danyelle Nolan
Cc: Danita Goodwin; CCM, Media; SEELEY, Nick
Subject: RE: Police lockdown - Algester

Hi all

Algester SS lockdown lifted.

Kate

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From: AYERS, Katherine
Sent: Thursday, June 07, 2012 2:04 PM
To: Danyelle Nolan
Cc: Danita Goodwin; CCM, Media; SEELEY, Nick
Subject: RE: Police lockdown - Algester

Situation as reported on Brisbane Times

<http://www.brisbanetimes.com.au/queensland/brisbane-suburb-in-lockdown-after-shots-fired-20120607-1zxn1.html>

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From: AYERS, Katherine
Sent: Thursday, June 07, 2012 1:26 PM
To: Danyelle Nolan
Cc: Danita Goodwin; CCM, Media; SEELEY, Nick
Subject: Police lockdown - Algester

Just had a call from Police media.

- Police are pursuing some men in the Algester area.
- There is a cordoned area between Algester Road, Learoyd Rd, Paradise Rd and the park.
- All schools in the area have been put in to lockdown, and residents have been urged to stay indoors.
- At this stage, I believe it is only affecting Algester SS – but may spread to other schools.

This is all the info at the moment – I'll keep you updated if anything changes.

Thanks

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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: DEWIS, Wendy
Sent: Thursday, 2 February 2012 4:45 PM
To: WOODEN, Eden; RIDER, Chris
Cc: CCM, Media
Subject: RE: Mansfield incident

Yes we do Eden. Kate has already requested info, which we are in the process of finalising.

Wendy

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From: WOODEN, Eden
Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2012 4:43 PM
To: RIDER, Chris
Cc: CCM, Media; DEWIS, Wendy
Subject: FW: Mansfield incident

Chris,

Do you have any info on this?

Thanks Eden

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From: Peter Nibbs [<mailto:Peter.Nibbs@ministerial.qld.gov.au>]
Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2012 4:41 PM
To: AYERS, Katherine; Holly Shine
Cc: CCM, Media
Subject: RE: Mansfield incident

Kate...

Thanks. Do we have any idea if any Mansfield SS or SHS children are involved/injured? Are media on the scene? Has the principal been approached for comment? Counselling support offered etc?

Peter

From: AYERS, Katherine [mailto:Katherine.AYERS@deta.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Thursday, 2 February 2012 3:42 PM
To: Holly Shine; Peter Nibbs
Cc: CCM, Media
Subject: FW: Mansfield incident

FYI

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From: Chantelle Rule [mailto:Chantelle.Rule@dcs.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2012 3:39 PM
To: CCM, Media
Subject: Mansfield incident

Hi Paul,

As discussed, it appears that a vehicle has gone through a fence and has hit two persons outside the school at Ham Rd, Mansfield

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Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public

Thanks,
Chantelle.

Chantelle Rule-Murphy

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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: DEWIS, Wendy
Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 1:23 PM
To: REYNOLDS, Paul
Subject: RE: Kenmore SHS water issues

Update.....

Two toilet blocks at the school are actually connected to water tanks but these are not working for some reason.

Regional facilities are on site and are investigating and rectifying this, so the toilet blocks can be made functional regardless of mains supply.

Wendy

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From: REYNOLDS, Paul
Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:23 PM
To: DEWIS, Wendy
Subject: RE: Kenmore SHS water issues

Thanks Wendy

Yes I thought it strange that the RFO wouldn't provide advice re these arrangements. I have not informed MO.

Cheers
Paul

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Cc: KLOTZ, Janette; DE BRENNI, Kristie; jfitz19@eq.edu.au
Subject: FW: Kenmore SHS water issues

The school will not be closing Paul.

The principal has been advised to make contact with his ARD for advice on how to manage the school community, should that be required.

Regional Facilities is arranging for bottled water and will arrange porta loos if needed. It is likely that water service will be restored within the next hour. The Facilities Account Manager will confirm this shortly.

Wendy

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From: RIDER, Chris
Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:12 PM
To: SEILER, Robert; DEWIS, Wendy
Subject: FW: Kenmore SHS water issues

????? please follow up.

From: REYNOLDS, Paul
Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:09 PM
To: SEELEY, Nick; RIDER, Chris; DEWIS, Wendy; MCKENZIE, Lyn; WALSH, Becky; CCM, Media; JOHNSTON, Amy; STOLZ, Louise
Subject: Kenmore SHS water issues

Hi all

John Fitzgerald at Kenmore High just called to say their water mains have been cut by workers outside the school. It means no flushing toilets and no drinking water.

John was planning on letting the kids go home shortly, based on advice from facilities (I assume the RFO).

Chris/Wendy....I asked John to contact you as well so you are in the loop. Rob Seiler is aware.

Cheers
Paul

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Subject: RE: Kenmore SHS water issues

It all seemed a bit of a heightened reaction as the water has only been off for 30 minutes and Year 11 and 12 students are on an exam block so aren't at school.

Wendy

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From: DEWIS, Wendy
Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:20 PM
To: REYNOLDS, Paul
Cc: KLOTZ, Janette; DE BRENNI, Kristie; jfitz19@eq.edu.au
Subject: FW: Kenmore SHS water issues

The school will not be closing Paul.

The principal has been advised to make contact with his ARD for advice on how to manage the school community, should that be required.

Regional Facilities is arranging for bottled water and will arrange porta loos if needed. It is likely that water service will be restored within the next hour. The Facilities Account Manager will confirm this shortly.

Wendy

Wendy Dewis

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From: RIDER, Chris

Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:12 PM

To: SEILER, Robert; DEWIS, Wendy

Subject: FW: Kenmore SHS water issues

????? please follow up.

From: REYNOLDS, Paul

Sent: Wednesday, 13 June 2012 12:09 PM

To: SEELEY, Nick; RIDER, Chris; DEWIS, Wendy; MCKENZIE, Lyn; WALSH, Becky; CCM, Media; JOHNSTON, Amy; STOLZ, Louise

Subject: Kenmore SHS water issues

Hi all

John Fitzgerald at Kenmore High just called to say their water mains have been cut by workers outside the school. It means no flushing toilets and no drinking water.

John was planning on letting the kids go home shortly, based on advice from facilities (I assume the RFO).

Chris/Wendy....I asked John to contact you as well so you are in the loop. Rob Seiler is aware.

Cheers

Paul

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MCWATERS, Joshua

From: CASE, Steven
Sent: Friday, 14 December 2012 3:25 PM
To: REYNOLDS, Paul
Cc: PEACH, Greg; MASSINGHAM, Kathryn; JOHNSTON, Theresa; MUZA, Julie
Subject: RE: Bundaberg East SS situation

Importance: High

Bundaberg East SS Incident:

1. On the 13th December, Bundaberg East SS had a Year 3 to Year 7 sports break up. There were approx. 300 students attending this event. 18 staff members and pool staff /lifeguards supervised the event.
2. The venue of the event was at the ANZAC Bundaberg swimming pool. All risk assessment processes were in place and Variation of School Routines were completed. Parent permission notes were in place.
3. During an eating break (approx. 11:15am), an umbrella was dislodged by a gust of wind and struck Karrisa Kaylee McDonald Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act -, a year 4 student in the side of the head.
4. Bundaberg East Staff as well as pool staff administered first aid to Karrisa until an Ambulance arrived.
5. Karrisa was transferred to the Bundaberg Hospital where she was accompanied by Doug Ambrose (Principal) and her parents. She was then flown to Brisbane.
6. Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information
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8. SGO/GO /EA support has been put in place to support the school community
9. Senior H&S consultant supported school with the H&S investigation
10. WHSQ officers are conducting an investigation into the incident - location Bundaberg pool

Regards

Steve Case

From: REYNOLDS, Paul
Sent: Friday, 14 December 2012 2:48 PM
To: CASE, Steven
Cc: PEACH, Greg
Subject: FW: Bundaberg East SS situation

Hi Steve

Minister's Office is requesting an incident report on this incident. Would you be able to arrange one urgently please. It doesn't have to be War & Peace. This new information can go as the update at the bottom.

Cheers
Paul

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From: PEACH, Greg
Sent: Friday, 14 December 2012 2:39 PM
To: REYNOLDS, Paul
Subject: FW: Bundaberg East SS situation

From: CASE, Steven
Sent: Friday, 14 December 2012 2:37 PM
To: PEACH, Greg
Cc: COOK, Steve; ARNOLD, Jan; COLLIER, Ken
Subject: Bundaberg East SS situation

Hi Greg
A tragic ending

Spent the morning at B'Berg East – met with the SGO around communication strategies and internal support strategies. All in place

Took Section with me – Section 4 was able to provide practical support at the school.

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

The sad background to this incident was that the event(a morning at the pool) was a reward for high achieving students (academic excellence) - a special celebration at the Bundaberg pool. The year 4 student was a well-respected and high achieving student.

WH&S are currently investigating the incident - looking at the pool protocols and safety issues. The school had risk management processes in place and variation of school routine records in place. Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest
from our office his now working with the school to support in the responses required by WH&S officials – Section 47(3)(b) of the
is also aware.

The Wallaville School was also in attendance - we Section 47 have made contact with the Principal and school and ensured the necessary support is in place.

Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information

Doug is going to provide a briefing in 15 minutes time (at 3pm) and we have ensured that GOs and SGOs are in place. I have ensured that Section 47(3)(b) of SGO is in place next week.

Doug will make contact with me during the week – I will drive down to Bundaberg next week to represent the Department regarding arrangements.

An extremely sad way to finish a year.

Kind regards

Steve

Steve Case

Assistant Regional Director (School Performance)

North Coast Region

MCWATERS, Joshua

From: KANE, Darryl
Sent: Thursday, 30 August 2012 2:12 PM
To: CCM, Media; Alert, School
Cc: ENGLISH, Richard; FENECH, Donna; COLLETT, Bronwyn
Subject: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI A Alert.doc



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Colleagues
Richard English has approved this Alert.
Regards
Darryl
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School Incidents Alert Notification



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RD to approve all incident reports**

Statement as at: 30 August 2012

Status: New

School: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co

Region: North Queensland

Whitsunday Electorate

School Contact Name: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - cont

Region Contact Name: Darryl Kane

Acting Principal

Telephone: Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co

Telephone: 47263133

Date of incident: 30 August 2012

Incident involving: *(delete non-applicable categories)*

Staff Other Person

Nature of incident

Refusal to leave site; hostile confrontation

Emergency services involvement: Yes

Lockdown: No

Media involvement: No

Summary:

- The Principal of Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act contacted the father of a Section 47(3)(b) male student of the school on 29 August 2012 advising that the student was suspended for 2 days Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co for swearing (the principal is attending a two day principals' business meeting in Townsville).
- The student had recently returned to school from a suspension and by report from the school has a record of inappropriate behaviours including swearing.
- The father advised he would be bringing his son to school Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - co and remaining there until the suspension was lifted. This happened as advised with the visit terminating when the police were called and requested the parent to leave. The student subsequently left the school also.
- Section 47(3)(b) of the RTI Act - contrary to public interest information
- The father declined to provide specific details.
- The father stated a number of times to the acting principal and in 3 calls to Regional Office that he was contacting the local media. He also stated that he would be approaching the Minister.

Actions

- Regional Office email details for lodging a complaint were provided to the father.

Outcome

- **The situation settled when the parent left the school**

Risks

What are the identified risks and how are they being mitigated or managed?

- The main risk is the possibility of negative publicity around a range of non specific allegations from an angry parent.

Media

Have CCM been advised?

- Yes

Have any media outlets arrived or approached school?

- No

Updates:

Region to complete this section only when/if updating information

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Date of update:

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Approval

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REGIONAL DIRECTOR

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