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Corrs Westgarth Chambers
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Attention to: Kate Gill-Herdman, Abigail Gill & Craig Phillips

BY EMAIL Personal Information

Dear Practitioners

Royal Commission into the Casino Operator and Licence (Royal Commission)

We act for Mr Xavier Walsh.

We note that on 23 March 2021, on the application of Arnold Bloch Leibler, the Commissioner made orders, inter alia, granting leave for Mr Walsh to appear before the Commission. Subsequently we understand that on 30 June 2021, Arnold Bloch Leibler informed the Commission they no longer acted for Mr Walsh.

As we now act for Mr Walsh, we request that the Commission forward us documents and otherwise copy us into communications relevant to the ongoing conduct of the Royal Commission to the extent such documents or communications are appropriate to Mr Walsh's position as a director and senior executive of Crown Melbourne Limited with leave to appear.

We understand that the current timetable for the remaining conduct of the Royal Commission is that:

- Hearings will conclude tomorrow 9 July 2021.

- Written closing submissions by Counsel Assisting the Royal Commission will be provided to the parties with leave to appear by 19 July 2021 (with oral submissions to also be made on that date).

- Written closing submissions by parties with leave to appear are to be provided to the Commission by 2 August 2021 (with oral submissions to also be made on that date).

We anticipate that a written closing submission on behalf of Mr Walsh will be provided by 2 August 2021 in accordance with the above. We propose to inform you in due course as to whether it is proposed that any oral submissions be made on behalf of Mr Walsh on that date.

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Please contact the writer if you have any questions in relation to the above.

Yours sincerely

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