



**Royal Commission  
into the Casino Operator and Licence**

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Dear Mr Maher

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We refer to the evidence of Mr Craig Walsh given in open hearing on 25 June 2021.

Mr Walsh referred to his attendance at a symposium conducted by Victoria Police at which a member of the "*Hong Kong Jockey Club spoke about the Suncity junket*" (T2612.2-4). He also referred to a meeting with an "*AFP commander in Melbourne*" in which the topics of junkets and organised crime were discussed (T2612.43-2613.3).

We ask that Crown inform the Commission as to:

- the date of the symposium referred to by Mr Walsh. Should it assist, we **attach** CRW.INQ.100.010.0956 which refers to a presentation given to Victoria Police by Mr Martin Purbick, head of security at the Hong Kong Jockey Club, in 2014 (see at .0964 of the attached); and
- the date of Mr Walsh's meeting with the AFP referred to at T2612.43-2613.3 of the transcript, and the names of the attendees at that meeting.

Please provide the information requested in this letter by **4.00pm on Friday 2 July 2021**.

If you have any queries, please contact Kate Gill-Herdman.

Yours sincerely

*Corrs Chambers Westgarth*

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**Attachment**

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