

## QUEENSLAND HEALTH PAYROLL SYSTEM COMMISSION OF INQUIRY

# Statement of Witness

Name of Witness	Janine Griffiths
Address and contact details	Known to the Commission
Occupation	Senior Executive
Officer taking statement	Jonathan Horton and Elizabeth Kenny
Date taken	21 / 03 /2013

#### I, JANINE GRIFFITHS state:

- 1. I am currently employed as a Senior Executive with Accenture having been in that role since December 2006.
- 2. I was on maternity leave from December 2006 and returned to work at Accenture on 12 June 2007.
- 3. My first contact with Terry Burns was in June 2007 (after the 12<sup>th</sup>) when I was asked by Chris Hubbard from Accenture to organise a meeting with Terry Burns and Ramez Kaft. (Mr Kaft was then Accenture's head of Health and Public Service practice for Australia.)
- 4. I tried calling Mr Burns on his mobile on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2007 however could not reach him. I then sent him an email dated 27 June 2007 asking him to confirm a date to meet with Mr Kaft. Annexed to my statement marked "JG1" is a true copy of that email.
- 5. I did not receive a response to my email and to the best of my knowledge the meeting between Mr Burns and Mr Kaft did not happen.

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- 6. On 2 July 2007 I attended an Industry Briefing presented by CorpTech about the Shared Services Initiative. At that Industry Briefing were also present representatives from IBM, SAP and Logica. There were about 25 to 30 people at the Briefing.
- 7. At the Industry Briefing I do not recall personally meeting Mr Burns but I do recall that he was pointed out to me (I do not recall by who).
- 8. At the Industry Briefing, the vendors were asked to come back to CorpTech with recommendations as to how the program should move forward and provide a presentation.
- 9. Accenture was to make its presentation on 13 July 2007.
- 10. On 12 July 2007 I emailed Terry Burns requesting his confirmation as to whether Accenture was to bring its proposal materials to the meeting (the meeting was with him and the evaluation team) the afternoon of the next day or forward it electronically that day. Annexed to my statement and marked "JG2" is a true copy of the email.
- 11. On 12 July 2007 Mr Burns responded to my email and advised that "Kirsty" should have been in contact to offer to load our material the next day. Annexed to my statement marked "JG3" is a true copy of the email.
- 12. On 13 July 2007 I emailed Kirsty Trusz a copy of the Slide Deck that Accenture would be using for its proposal. I copied Mr Burns into the email. Annexed to my statement and marked "JG4" is a true copy of the email.
- After Accenture's presentation on 13 July 2007, the next step was to respond to what I
  recall was the RFP (Request for Proposal).
- 14. The response to the RFP was to contain a lot more detail than what was provided at the presentation. It was to cover scheduling, price and Accenture's own solution.

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- 15. A detailed presentation of Accenture's RFP response occurred on 9 August 2007 in Accenture's offices in Milton. The presentation went for a number of hours. There were about 20 people from CorpTech present at that presentation and about 8 or 9 people from Accenture.
- 16. I recall Terry Burns was present however I do not recall speaking with him one-on-one.
- 17. A week or two after the RFP presentation Accenture received a letter that CorpTech was now moving to an RFO (Request for Offer) process and that they would be in touch with dates / instructions.
- 18. I do not recall attending any meetings with Mr Burns between the RFP Presentation and issue of the RFO/ITO (Invitation to Offer).
- 19. I never had any one-on-one meetings with Terry Burns. Terry Burns never offered me for Accenture to do a "dry run" of any presentation or proposal, or offer to "coach" Accenture. I never met or had discussions with Terry Burns in a coffee shop.
- 20. The contact I have set out with Mr Terry Burns is, to the best of my recollection, the only contact I had with him before the ITO was issued in mid-September 2007.
- 21. I was approached by the Commission of Inquiry to make this statement. I make this statement voluntarily. The contents of this statement are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that any false or misleading statement could be an offence against the *Commissions of Inquiry Act* 1950 or contempt of the Commission.

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Jame Criffths

Witness signature:

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## Declaration

1 to 4 is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  Signature
Signed at Brislace City this 28 day of Torch 2013_
Witnessed:
Name CHEFTEN MUNDY Signature

Janine Griffiths signature:

Jame Criffiths

Witness signature:

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From: Sent:

janine.c.griffiths@accenture.com Wednesday, 27 June 2007 12:38 PM terry.burns@corptech.qld.gov.au

To:

Meeting with Ramez Katf - Thursday 28th June

Subject: Hi Terry,

Chris Hubbard has indicated that you are keen to meet with Ramez Katf this week. Ramez will be in Brisbane tomorrow -- Thursday 28th. I was wondering if you would have any time in the morning to meet with him?

I have tried calling your mobile this morning but couldn't reach you. Please don't hesitate to give me a call on my mobile if that would be easier to make the arrangement.

Janine Griffiths

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12/07/2007 03:22

PM

simon.r.porter@accenture.com,

Kirsty

Trusz/CorpTech/QTreasury@QTreasury

Subject

Re: Proposal Materials for CorpTech Presentation(Document link: Kirsty

Trusz)

Yes - Kirsty should have been in contact to offer to load your material tomorrow

Regards

Terry Burns Consultant Mobile: 0420807901

> <janine.c.griffit hs@accenture.com>

To

12/07/2007 12:20 PM

<<u>terry.burns@corptech.qld.gov.au</u>>

CC

<simon.r.porter@accenture.com> Subject

Proposal Materials for CorpTech

Presentation

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Thanks and Regards,

Janine Griffiths

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#### Market David

From:

janine.c,griffiths@accenture.com

Sent:

Friday, 13 July 2007 11:16 AM

To:

Kirsty.Trusz@corptech.qld.gov.au; simon.r.porter@accenture.com

Cc:

Terry.Burns@corptech.qld.gov.au

Subject: Attachments:

RE: Proposal Materials for CorpTech Presentation Accenture Response\_SSI Replanning\_Final.ppt

Hi Kirsty,

Thanks for your help. Please find attached a copy of the Slide Deck that we will be using for our presentation this afternoon.

I will send through a set of appendix documents in a separate email. These appendix documents will be referenced during the presentation but not specifically discussed.

Janine Griffiths

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---Original Message----

From: Kirsty.Trusz@corptech.qld.gov.au [mailto:Kirsty.Trusz@corptech.qld.gov.au]

Sent: Friday, 13 July 2007 8:02 AM

To: Griffiths, Janine C.; Porter, Simon R.

Cc: Terry.Burns@corptech.qld.gov:au

Subject: Re: Proposal Materials for CorpTech Presentation

Hi Janine,

I left a message yesterday on Simon's voicemail, however if you would like to give me a call this morning to that would be great.

Cheers

Kirsty Trusz (Royal) Executive Support Officer Program Review

CorpTech Level 8, 60 Edward Street BRISBANE QLD 4001 PH: 07) 3227 7364 Fax: 07) 3447 7752

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