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Dear AE

Thank you for your Statement of Complaint that arrived here today. The matters you have raised will be followed up as quickly as possible. I am sure that you will appreciate that the task of investigation can be very time consuming. It may be some time before you hear of developments. This will not mean that we have lost interest or that you have been forgotten.

I was very sorry to hear that you have suffered in the way you describe, and I apologise for any kind of abuse and all the harm that you have experienced as a result of your connection with the Church.

The next step will probably be the police investigation and we have no way of predicting how long that will take.

Thank you for having the courage to step forward about this matter.

Yours sincerely,


John Davoren