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Cc: Julie Igglesden
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Hi Anastasia, Julie.

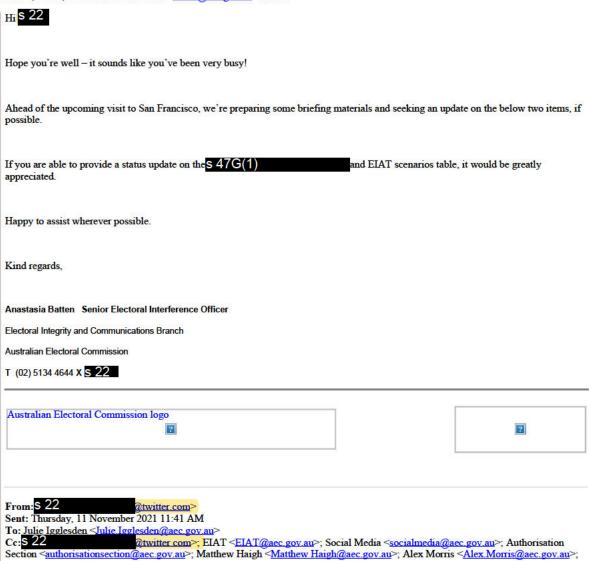
Thank you for your email and for your patience - it has, indeed, been a particularly busy time!

Please allow me to follow up with our Operations team on the status of enrolment for @AusElectoralCom and socialmedia@aec.gov.au and revert with confirmation as soon as possible. I have also followed up with our internal teams regarding a login for the EIAT@aec.gov.au email. To do this, the email will need to be linked to a separate Twitter handle (as enrollment is connected to the username and associated email). Please let me know if you would like to proceed with this enrollment and, if so, which account the email will be associated with and we will work with our teams to arrange access.

Likewise, please allow me to follow up on the status of the escalation scenarios and provide an update shortly (noting your upcoming deadline for briefing materials). We appreciate your patience, flexibility and partnership and will be back in touch with an update as soon as possible.



On Wed, Dec 1, 2021 at 4:20 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote:



Megan Weimar < megan weimar@aec.gov.au > Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]	
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Hi Julie,	
Thanks for your email and patience while we've connected with relevant internal teams on the requests about	ve.
Firstly, we have asked our Operations team to enroll both of these nominated emails into the \$ 47G(1) update once completed.	and will provide an
Many thanks for the additional guidance regarding the updated EIAT scenarios table. Currently, our Legal of pressing regulatory deadlines, but is aiming to have responses finalised by Friday 19 November. We appunderstanding and flexibility in this matter. To provide a further update, we are also currently working with and materials for the upcoming EIAT delegation in San Francisco.	preciate your patience,
As always, we value your ongoing partnership. Please let us know if you have any questions at this stage as assist.	nd we'll be more than happy to
All the best,	
On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 2:10 PM Julie Igglesden < Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au> wrote:	
Good Afternoon S 22 and S 22	
As foreshadowed, please see attached for updated EIAT scenarios table for your consideration. I trust you will find this a significant step forward with regards to some of your queries.	
Given our proximity to both a potential election and the Christmas period, we would be looking to finalise this document in the coming fortnight [~15 November], however please do let me know if this is not going to be achievable from your side.	
As always, happy to take further questions or talk through any elements.	
Kind Regards	
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Julie Igglesden Electoral Interference Coordinator	
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From: S 22 @twitter com> Sent: Monday, 11 October 2021 6:03 PM To: EIAT <EIAT@aec.gov.au CAUTION: This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Anastasia, Julie, and EIAT members, Thank you all again for your time last week to discuss Twitter's civic integrity work, election retros, and initial responses to the tabletop exercises. As we finalise the formal escalation scenarios response, we wanted to provide some additional information ab reporting channel for trusted partners, \$47G(1) We are our internal teams on relevant metrics for our Events pages and Trends contextualisation and will revert back. we wanted to provide some additional information about our dedicated We are also seeking input from We appreciate working in close partnership with your teams and we're here to help. Please let us know if you have any questions about the portals (or about troubleshooting access for those currently enrolled). Hope to hear from you soon. All the best, s 22 On Wed, Oct 6, 2021 at 4:05 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au > wrote: Sounds great, thanks \$ 22 Look forward to chatting tomorrow! Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 X S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo From: S 22 @twitter.com Sent: Wednesday, 6 October 2021 3:52 PM @twitter.com> To: EIAT <EIAT@aec gov au> @twitter com> Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive] CAUTION This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Anastasia, Julie, Thank you for your email and sending through the agenda.

We will share a presentation on recent election retrospectives. Regarding the tabletop exercises, our Legal team is reviewing the communication scenarios in full. We will be able to walk the group through our initial thinking tomorrow, with a view to share the final document and responses at a later date. As always, thank you for your partnership. Please let us know if you have any questions in advance - we are looking forward to speaking with you tomorrow. All the best, s 22 On Tue, Oct 5, 2021 at 2:00 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote: _{Hf}s 22 Hope you're well Please find attached a brief draft agenda for Thursday's meeting. I note you mentioned (below) potentially adding to the agenda closer to the meeting, so we're just sharing it for your input ahead of circulating. Thank you! Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 X S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo From: EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> @twitter.com>; Social Media <socialmedia@aec.gov.au> Hi Tahlia, Thank you - I will circulate a Teams invite for 3pm on 7 October. Happy to draft an agenda and follow up on any other meeting materials closer to then. Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission

T (03) 9285 7139 X S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo ? From: S 22 @twitter.com Sent: Monday, 20 September 2021 4:37 PM To: Julie Igglesden@aec.gov @twitter com>; Social Media <socialmedia@aec.gov.au> AUTION: This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Julie, I hope you had a good weekend and thank you for sharing these potential meeting blocks. The afternoon of Thursday 7 October works well on this side - we are free between 3:00 - 5:00pm AEDT. Please confirm meeting time, at your convenience. Appreciate that additional detail, we will share an overview of materials for the meeting agenda, ahead of time. Please let us know if you have any follow up questions for us at this stage and we'll be happy to discuss in more detail. All the best, s 22 On Thu, Sep 16, 2021 at 5:34 PM Julie Igglesden < Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au> wrote: Hi s 22 Apologies for the delayed reply here, we have a couple of key staff on leave on those days surrounding the long weekend here in Canberra. Can we please extend to the week following? The afternoon of Tuesday 5 Oct or Thursday 7 Oct could be suitable? The scenarios are intended to cover the broader industry group, and in sharing with yourselves we acknowledge that there may be a couple which do not apply, for example due to your advertising policy settings. Happy for you to note as appropriate. Thank you Julie From: S 22 @twitter.com Sent: Thursday, 9 September 2021 3:15 PM To: EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> Cc: Julie Igglesden < Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au > \$ 22 @twitter.com> Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive] CAUTION: This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe.

Hi Anastasia, Julie,

Thank you for your email and for the additional information. I have included some potential dates and times below, please advise if any of the following are suitable:

- Wednesday 29 September, 1:00pm or 3:00pm AEST
- Thursday 30 September, between 10:00am 12:00pm AEST
- Friday 1 October, 10:00am or 1:00pm AEST

Alternatively, please share some dates and times that are suitable on your side. Can I also please confirm if these table top exercises are Twitter specific or intended for a broader industry group? Thank you for your continued partnership and looking forward to hearing from you soon.

All the best,



On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 4:27 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au > wrote:

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Thank you for your response. You're correct, the two topics listed are those currently of interest to us (AEC & EIAT).

I have attached our table top exercise scenarios for your review and/or contribution. As always, please do not hesitate to ask any questions.

If the next meeting content can cover the above and the Twitter retrospectives, that would be great1

Kind regards,

Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer

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From: S 22 @twitter.com> Sent: Tuesday, 31 August 2021 5:06 PM

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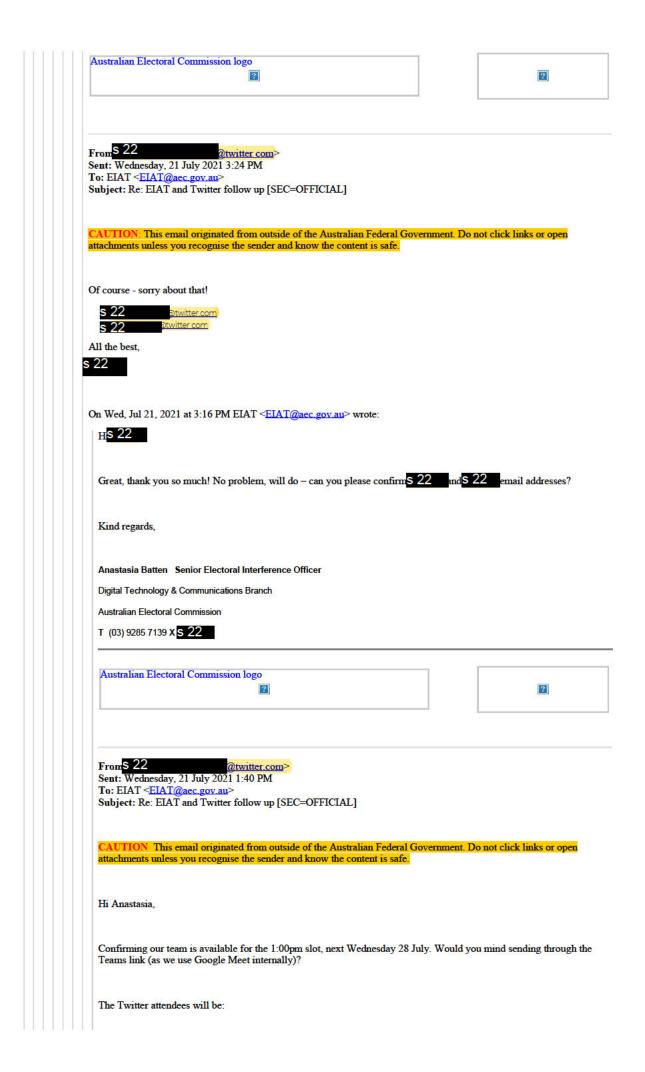
Hi Anastasia, Julie,

Thank you for your emails and kind wishes. S 22 and I are both currently in lockdown but hanging in there!

Ahead of scheduling our next session, I was hoping to clarify a few points on the agenda and discussion topics to

ensure we collate the most appropriate resources and make the best use of your time. At this stage, are the group hoping to cover Twitter retrospectives for recent elections (for example <u>US 2020</u>, <u>India 2021</u>) EIAT-led table top exercises with industry, including those involved in recent global elections We look forward to continuing our conversation and strong partnership in the lead up to the next Federal Election. Please let me know if you have any questions on the above and I look forward to hearing from you soon. On Fri, Aug 27, 2021 at 11:57 AM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote: н<mark>s 22</mark> I don't recall where you're based but if you're in some form of lockdown, I hope you're coping! Tough times. Just touching base following our last meeting. I know Julie and \$22 discussed some existing integrity based case studies that Twitter have in their repertoire and wondered if we might re-engage about that? We also have some EIAT content to share with you so hoping to chat further in the near future Thank you! Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 x S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo ? Sent: Wednesday, 21 July 2021 3:35 PM
To: 5 22 From: EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> @twitter com> Subject: RE: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL] Done! Thanks again Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch

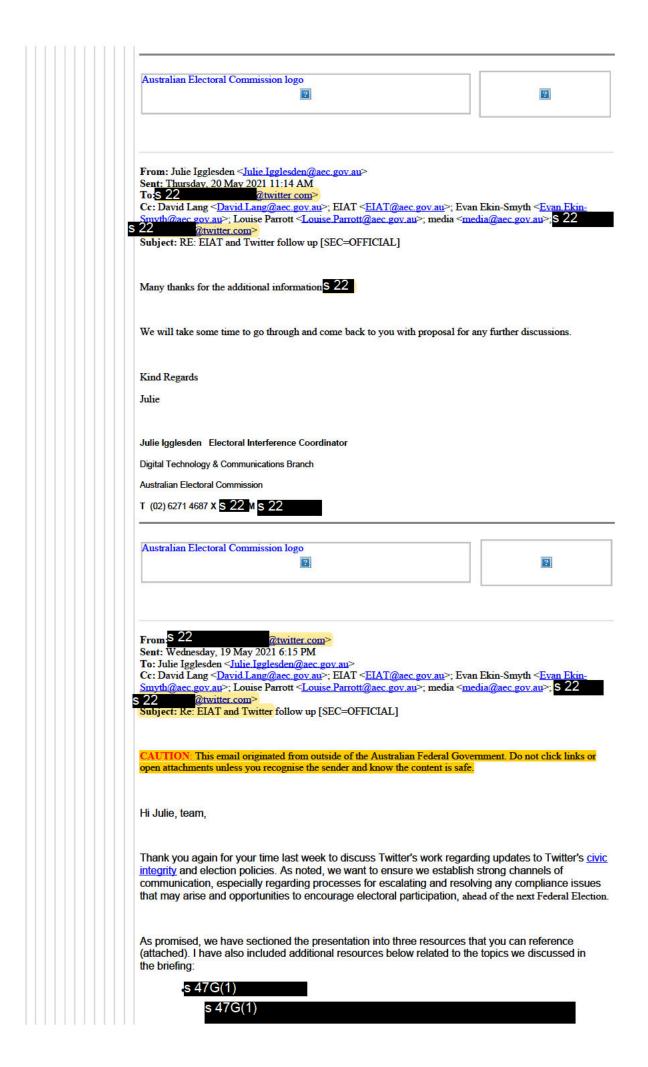
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We're more than happy to send through an agenda in advance but please do let me know if there is anything in particular you'd like to cover off. If you have any further questions in the meantime, just let me know. All the best, s 22 On Tue, Jul 20, 2021 at 2:50 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote: _{Hr}s 22 Thanks again for facilitating the meeting today, and our thanks to \$22 is always. That sounds great, we'll wait to hear! Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 X S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo From S 22 Atwitter Sent: Tuesday, 20 July 2021 1:57 PM To: EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL] CAUTION: This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Anastasia, Thanks for coming back to me. I'll reconfirm availability and get back to you asap. We'll also have two further members of our team join who lead Twitter's strategies across government advertising in Australia and will be able to lend their expertise to the conversation. Speak soon, On Tue, Jul 20, 2021 at 9:41 AM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au > wrote:

Hs 22 Looking forward to this afternoon's meeting. Just jumping ahead to see if your 1pm slot next Wednesday 28 July is still available? The AEC Media Team are keen to schedule some time to chat campaigns, comms and civic engagement. They will also be attending today's meeting so feel free to ask any further questions of them then. Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 x S 22 Australian Electoral Commission logo ? From S 22 @twitter.com> Sent: Wednesday, 14 July 2021 5:07 PM <u>@twitter.com</u>>; Julie Igglesden <<u>Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au</u>>;\$ 22 @twitter.com Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL] AUTION: This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Anastasia, Wonderful! If you could send through the calendar invite that would be appreciated. All the best, s 22 On Wed, Jul 14, 2021 at 4:04 PM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote: His 22 Thanks for getting back to me. Next Tuesday 20 July at 2pm would be great, if possible. We typically use Microsoft Teams - happy to send out a calendar invite if suitable? Kind regards, Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7139 X S 22

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CcS 22 atwitter.com> <u>@twitter.com</u>>; Julie Igglesden <<u>Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au</u>>;\$ 22 atwitter.com Subject: Re: EIAT and Twitter follow up [SEC=OFFICIAL] CAUTION This email originated from outside of the Australian Federal Government. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe. Hi Anastasia, Great to hear from you. Thanks for your patience while we've looked into calendars. You can find some potential dates and times for consideration below. • Tuesday 20 July, between 2:00 - 3:00pm AEST Tuesday 27 July, between 2:00 - 4:00pm AEST Wednesday 28 July, 1:00pm AEST Please let me know if any of the slots above are suitable and if there is a preference for the meeting software used to host the session. I also wanted to let you know that \$22 Twitter's \$22 s 22 and main representative for Australian Electoral Commission and Electoral Integrity Assurance Taskforce inquiries has returned from leave. We look forward to our ongoing discussions, as well as working closely with you and the team. Let us know if you have any questions at this stage and we'll be happy to assist. All the best, s 22 On Fri, Jul 9, 2021 at 11:54 AM EIAT < EIAT@aec.gov.au > wrote: Hi s 22 I'm Anna, I have joined Julie's team here at the AEC. Just following up on our most recent meeting with you, now that we have had an opportunity to review and consider the subsequent documentation that you provided. Would your team be available to have a follow-up meeting to further discuss some of the information? Particularly the topics detailed below as well as the threat modelling projects you referenced in the original meeting. We have availability starting from the week commencing 19/7, perhaps Tuesday or Thursday afternoon of that week, if possible? Happy to discuss other potential dates if required. Thank you! Kind regards. Anastasia Batten Senior Electoral Interference Officer Digital Technology & Communications Branch Australian Electoral Commission T (03) 9285 7115 X S 22



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Escalations Guides

o Please find attached a Twitter reporting guidance for Electoral Commissions

· Cause-based advertising and Twitter's ban on Political Ads

- Our cause-based advertising policies are available <u>here</u>.
- Our policy regarding the ban on political content is available <u>here</u>. For additional details, we also have a Political Content FAQ page <u>here</u>.

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We welcome the opportunity to progress these follow up discussions and, in the meantime, please feel free to reach out to \$22 and I (and \$22 upon her return) with any further questions you might have regarding Twitter's work in this space. Thank you again for your partnership. We look forward to working with you in the coming months.

All the best,

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 1:38 PM Julie Igglesden < Julie Igglesden@aec.gov.au> wrote:

AfternoonS 22

Thank you to yourself and 5 22 for the time and effort put into meeting with and presenting to us last week. If you are able to share, we would appreciate having a copy of the presentation to review and go through with our team.

I would also like to confirm the discussed 'deep dives' so we can allow specific staff to touch on some of the subjects in more detail.

- · AEC meeting regarding opportunities for collaboration on electoral participation and engagement
- AEC/Taskforce meeting regarding election related escalations, potential scenario plans and to touch on the briefly mentioned threat modelling Twitter has undertaken
- Other taskforce agencies meeting regarding items in their broader Taskforce remit (TBC).

If you are in principle happy to pursue the above, we will look to get more detail surrounding each and make contact again soon.

Happy to discuss,

Kind Regards

Julie

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