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**To:** Justin Sowden  
**Cc:** Louise Parrott; Craig Batchelor  
**Subject:** FW: [COMPLAINT Political parties and candidates - Not listed] <sup>s 22</sup>  
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Hi Justin

Can you action and discuss with Louise as these do not relate to fraud.

Thanks

Jude

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Thanks Craig,

I don't have access yet so thanks for forwarding in the meantime.

Jude is this one you can look into with Craig's assistance if needed? It may be something that the complainant needs to take up with Facebook/the party.

Louise

**Louise Parrott | Senior Government Lawyer**  
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**From:** Craig Batchelor <[Craig.Batchelor@aec.gov.au](mailto:Craig.Batchelor@aec.gov.au)>  
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Good Morning Louise,

I am not sure if you have access to the electoral authorisations mailbox yet? The below email came in yesterday afternoon for your review and consideration.

Thanks

Warm regards,

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Hi Folks,

See below complaint, which I think should probably fall to you for consideration and response, please.

Thanks in advance.

Thanks  
Peter

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## Complaint

Category Political parties and candidates - Not listed

### Primary Details

Given name(s):

Surname:

Organisation:

Email:

Phone number:

Electoral division:

### Complaint Details

I would like to see these allegations investigated, please.

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### Expected Outcome

If these allegations are in fact true, what the consequences for the politician and the party? Thank you.

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