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[REDACTED]
Dear Sirs

[REDACTED]
MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT / WORKERS COMPENSATION

We have received instructions that your Human Resources assistant [REDACTED] has been overly zealous in [REDACTED] pursuit of our client's re-attendance at work (contrary to our client's various Workcover Certificates from [REDACTED]).

[REDACTED] states that our client was in fact unfit to work until 10 August 2007 (from 27 July 2007). [REDACTED] now states that our client is fit for suitable duties. We also understand that similar contact by [REDACTED] with our client's treatment providers was to advise them that they should opine that our client is "fit for full time work" is in circumstances inappropriate.

We advise that such action is contrary to the spirit and the letter of the Workers Compensation Legislation. It is not for a non-medically qualified persons to make recommendations regarding medical matters. The latter should not make same – in fact the adopting of non-medical recommendations by medical providers could be negligent or worse dangerous for our client.

The purpose of this letter is for you to be aware that persons employed or contracted by you are undertaking a course which could ultimately result in treatment being delayed or denied to our client or alternatively recovery or rehabilitation never properly occurring to our client.

In the circumstances we ask that you ask that [REDACTED] confine any contact with our client's treatment providers to writing (and that we be provided with copies of any such request).

We also note that at a recent medical attendance between our client, Dr [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], Dr [REDACTED] opined that our client should have 2 weeks off work. [REDACTED] suggested and asked Dr [REDACTED] to change [REDACTED] view to 1 week (which the latter did). We believe such actions are intended to intimidate our client or delay recovery. In the circumstances we ask that you contact [REDACTED] and have [REDACTED] desist from interfering with the proper management of our client's recovery.

We also note that our client is using his best endeavours to comply with rehabilitation requirements however a taxi which has been promised to him has now been vetoed by you – you are aware no doubt of our client's fragile psychological and psychiatric condition. Our client commences work at 11.00pm and finishes at approximately 7.00am – in addition the background of his accident is well known to you. We ask in the circumstances that you allow our client to have taxis to and from his work place in order that his rehabilitation can be undertaken in the most beneficial manner for both our client and Australia Post.

We await your response.

Yours faithfully

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