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Hi

I'm writing to submit that goog character references should not be used in cases of child sexual abuse.

They should also not be used in trials.

The barrister for my continued to use words, like up standing citizen through the criminal trial. While he was found not guilty due to lack of Police work and have inexperienced from both the DPP Police.

Abuser's use their status in the community to commit these acts. Using you status to commit these acts is not of good character so the reference is not relevant.

Kind regards

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