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The Hon. Mark Furner MP
Chair
Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee
Parliament House
George Street
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Via email: pccc@parliament.qld.gov.au

Dear Mr Furner

**RE: ANNUAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE *POLICE POWERS
AND RESPONSIBILITIES ACT 2000***

The Crime and Corruption Commission (CCC) is required to furnish a number of compliance reports after the end of the financial year to the chair of the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee.

The compliance report in relation to section 314 of the *Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000* (PPRA), which requires the Chairperson of the CCC to report about assumed authorities under the PPRA, is enclosed.

Under the PPRA this report is to be tabled in the Legislative Assembly within 14 sitting days after its receipt by your office.

Please contact Ms Jen O'Farrell, Chief Executive Officer, on [REDACTED] or via [REDACTED] should you require any further information on the reports.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Bruce Barbour'.

Bruce Barbour
Chairperson

Encl.



Crime and Corruption Commission
QUEENSLAND



Report to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee

*Section 314 Police Powers and
Responsibilities Act 2000*

Assumed Identities

Annual Report: 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025

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Annual Report

Overview

This is the annual report under section 314 of the *Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000* (the Act). Section 314 of the Act requires the Chairperson of the Crime and Corruption Commission (CCC) to provide a report that includes specified information, detailed in subsection (1), concerning the use of assumed identities issued under Chapter 12 of the Act for each financial year.

This report contains information from 1 July 2024 until 30 June 2025.

The report must not contain information that, if made public, could reasonably be expected to endanger a person's safety or prejudice an investigation or prosecution or compromise any law enforcement agency's operational activities or methodologies.

The report is to be provided to the Chairperson of the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee.

Section 314 (1) of the PPRA	Response
Report about authorities for assumed identities etc.	
(1) <i>As soon as practicable after the end of each financial year, the chief executive officer (the Chairperson in the case of the CCC) of a law enforcement agency must give to the agency's report entity (the Chair of the parliamentary committee) a written report containing the following information in relation to the agency for the financial year—</i>	
a) <i>the number of authorities granted;</i>	Twenty-three (23) authorities were granted.
b) <i>a general description of the activities undertaken by authorised persons when using assumed identities under this chapter;</i>	Investigation or intelligence gathering in relation to criminal activity by way of physical and/or technical surveillance for approved operations in accordance with the crime references of the Crime and Corruption Commission, or contact with sources.
c) <i>the number of applications for an authority that were refused;</i>	Nil applications were refused.
d) <i>a statement about whether or not any fraud or other unlawful activity was identified by an audit under section 134;</i>	The Parliamentary Commissioner conducted two audits during the year 2024-25, pursuant to section 316(2) of the PPRA. No fraud or other unlawful activity was identified. The reports on these audits are held by the Chairperson.
e) <i>any other information relating to authorities, assumed identities or the administration of this part that the parliamentary commissioner considers appropriate</i>	Twenty-three (23) authorities granted under the Act were cancelled as they were no longer required.





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