ORDERS UNDER SECTION 41 OF THE VICTORIAN INSTITUTE OF TEACHING ACT 2001

The Panel Orders pursuant to section 41 (d) and (e) of the Victorian Institute of Teaching Act 2001 that:

1. The hearing into the allegations of possible serious misconduct and/or lack of fitness to teach of the teacher, a registered teacher, be closed to the public while the evidence of the following witnesses is being taken because of the intimate and personal nature of the evidence.

   The student
   Student 1

2. The identity of the above witnesses not be published or broadcast:

As a consequence of these orders, pursuant to section 49 (b) of the Victorian Institute of Teaching Act 2001:

A person must not publish or broadcast or cause to be published or broadcast any report of this formal hearing which contains information which would enable the above witnesses to be identified, including but not limited to, information which would identify the witnesses’ and the teacher’s former school, the school, the Principal and the Assistant Principal.

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Panel Members: Garry Salisbury (Chairperson)
               Peter Ryan (Registered Teacher)
               Christine Holloway (Registered Teacher)