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Subject: ABC's QandA panellist Alan Jones being investigated by NSW Police for statutory rape of school boys in the 1980's - media request

Dear Mr Leys and the Board of the ABC

I am a journalist and publish a website and have some questions for an article that I will publish on Saturday 25th June 2016 so it would be grateful if you could answer the questions today. The questions relate to Alan Jones who works for Fairfax Media as a radio announcer on Fairfax's 2gb radio station. Alan Jones has previously been on the ABC's QandA program as a panellist and is he is also scheduled to be on the show again on Monday 27th June 2016.

1. Are you aware that the NSW Police are currently investigating Alan Jones, Fairfax Media and 2gb radio announcer, for statutory rape of school boys in the 1980's?
2. Are you aware that Alan Jones is a known paedophile who groomed school boys when he was a teacher at The King's School in Parramatta Sydney in the 1970's?
3. Are you aware that documented evidence against Alan Jones for child grooming is well-known and freely available in the book Jonestown (2006) with extracts detailing the child grooming easily accessible on the internet including on Fairfax Media's websites?
4. Are you aware that the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse is currently investigating abuse at The King's School which includes the time when Alan Jones was a teacher there?
5. Are you aware that Alan Jones is good friends with corrupt former police officers Roger Rogerson and Glen McNamara who have both recently been convicted of the death of Jamie Goa?
6. Given the uncontested evidence and allegations against Alan Jones do you think it is appropriate to have Alan Jones on the ABC's QandA program or any ABC program?
7. The last time Alan Jones was on the QandA program he used it to defend paedophile protector and alleged paedophile Cardinal George Pell. Do you think QandA host Tony Jones should have made the viewers aware of the history and allegations against Alan Jones given his defence of George Pell?

Can you please respond ASAP so I can publish your response in my article.

Regards

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