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Sent: Monday, 2 March 2015 3:20 PM
To: redress
Subject: Royal commission, forgotten generation

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To whom it may concern,

My name is [REDACTED], my wife [REDACTED] is writing this letter as I cannot do this myself. I am part of 'the forgotten generation'.

I was one of six children who was taken away by the welfare system and put into several placements.

Placements such as [REDACTED] and other places who tried to foster me in New South Wales.

In those places I was not well taken care of. Mentally, physically and sexually abused to the point I kept running away. Details too painful to put in this letter.

While I was the state of the ward I was not able to connect back to my parents as they were not permitted to contact us kids.

My life growing up was not good, going from foster homes, homes to prison in and out. I could not get any stability in my life as my family was torn apart and abused in state facilities.

My life would have different if my parents had outside help to keep our family together.

For over 50 years I have struggled with authority (cannot trust them), cannot handle closed spaces, very anti-social, alot of anxiety and the feeling of loved ones will be taken away or won't be around.

I am hoping that the royal commission help people like me, award them what they deserve. Queensland has dealt with it now New South Wales need to address it.

Hoping this letter helps, if you need any more information or enquires please do not hessitate in ringing me at

My welfare file is in new south wales. File details:

For verication.

Thanking you, [REDACTED]

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