

From: S47F
To: S47F
Cc: S47F, S47F
Subject: Request to remove link - reference S47G(1(b)) [SEC=OFFICIAL]
Date: Wednesday 11 October 2023 4:36:20 PM
Attachments: image01.png

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Hi S47F

Let me follow up internally and I will come back to you as soon as possible.

Cheers,

S47F



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On Wed, Oct 11, 2023 at 1:18 PM EIAT <EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote:

Good afternoon Google/YouTube teams,

Late Monday evening our team referred two YouTube live streams to you via the government webform, reference S47G(1(b)) (as per email chain below).

Thank you very much for removing S47F. This was important for us, particularly since it contained an image of the name and mobile number for one of our staff members.

I would be grateful if you could please advise whether the other post in the referral (and S47G(1(b))) has been reviewed and what the outcome was since it is still available to be viewed.

Many thanks

S47F | Assistant Director

Defending Democracy Unit | Electoral Integrity and Media Branch

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From: S47F
Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2023 2:20 PM
To: EIAT <EIAT@aec.gov.au>
Cc: Defending Democracy Unit <DefendingDemocracyUnit@aec.gov.au> S47F
Subject: Re: FW: notice of referral [SEC OFFICIAL]

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Hi S47F

Thanks for your email and for this additional information. I have reached out internally to ensure the content is being reviewed.

Per my earlier discussion with S47F we'd appreciate if you could provide us with the following when notifying us of content reported through the govt webform:

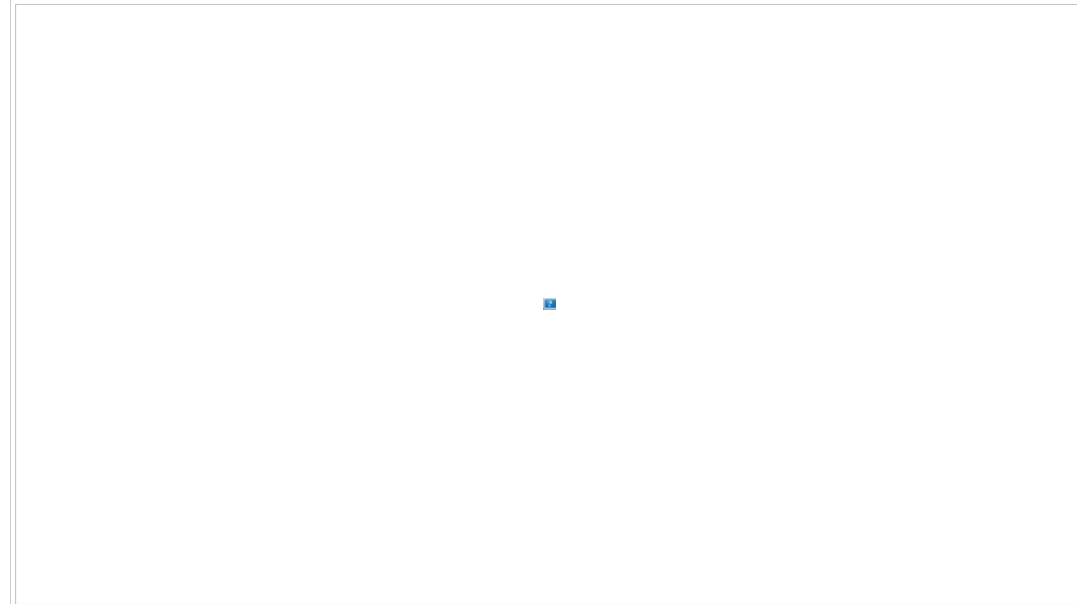
- the platform or service hosting the content
- the grounds on which you are reporting (i.e. for YouTube it's useful to know if it's being reported as a policy violation or on legal grounds)

But the pathways we provided in the scenarios document remain correct.

I hope to come back to you shortly with an update but note that our teams are experiencing some delays given events in the Middle East.

Cheers,

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On Tue, Oct 10, 2023 at 12:42 PM EIAT <EIAT@aec.gov.au> wrote:

Hi S47F

Following on from your call with S47F earlier this morning, wanted to confirm the two YouTube videos in question are S47F. These videos were reported on the government platform as we believe they could be in breach of YouTube's [Harassment & Cyberbullying policies](#) given the repeated insults and slurs directed to AEC staff member and others.

Please let us know if there is any further information you require.

Kind regards

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From: Defending Democracy Unit <DefendingDemocracyUnit@aec.gov.au>

Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2023 8:26 AM
To: S47F
Cc: ELAT <ELAT@aec.gov.au> S47F
Subject: RE: notice of referral [SEC OFFICIAL] Defending Democracy Unit <DefendingDemocracyUnit@aec.gov.au>

Good morning S47F

By 'first referral' S47F meant this email is an "FYI" to you that we had made a referral, in line with Google/YouTube's request to do so when making referrals.

The referral was submitted via the government webform S47F and this is an accompanying notification email from us.

Julie will give you a call later this morning.

Kind regards

S47F

S47F | Assistant Director

Defending Democracy Unit | Electoral Integrity and Media Branch

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From: S47F
Sent: Monday, October 9, 2023 11:19 PM
To: S47F
Cc: ELAT <ELAT@aec.gov.au>, ELAT@aec.gov.au, Defending Democracy Unit <DefendingDemocracyUnit@aec.gov.au>
Subject: Re: notice of referral [SEC OFFICIAL]

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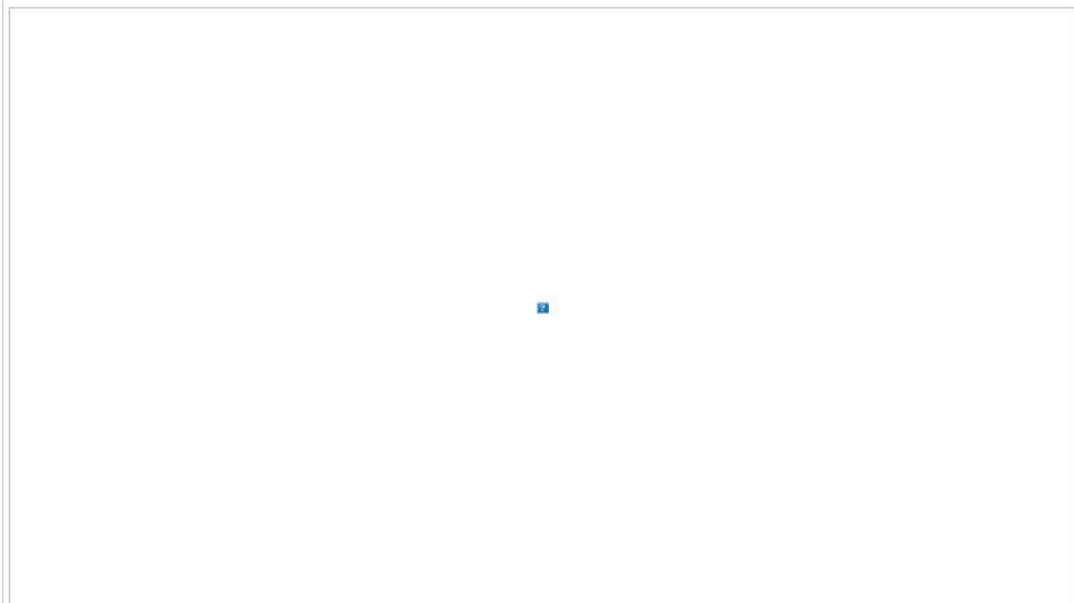
Hi S47F,

Confirming this is the correct address but I think it's just a question of different languages!

Can you please clarify for me what a 'first referral' is please?

Cheers,

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On Mon, Oct 9, 2023 at 10:41 PM S47F wrote:

Evening S47F

This applies to YouTube and is a notification of first referral rather than an escalation.

I understand from original discussions on process that the preference was for an email fyi on referral but if I have misunderstood or your preference is to use this email for escalation we can amend.

Cheers

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From: S47F
Sent: Monday, October 9, 2023 10:30 pm
To: ELAT <ELAT@aec.gov.au>
Cc: S47F
Subject: Re: notice of referral [SEC OFFICIAL] Defending Democracy Unit <DefendingDemocracyUnit@aec.gov.au>

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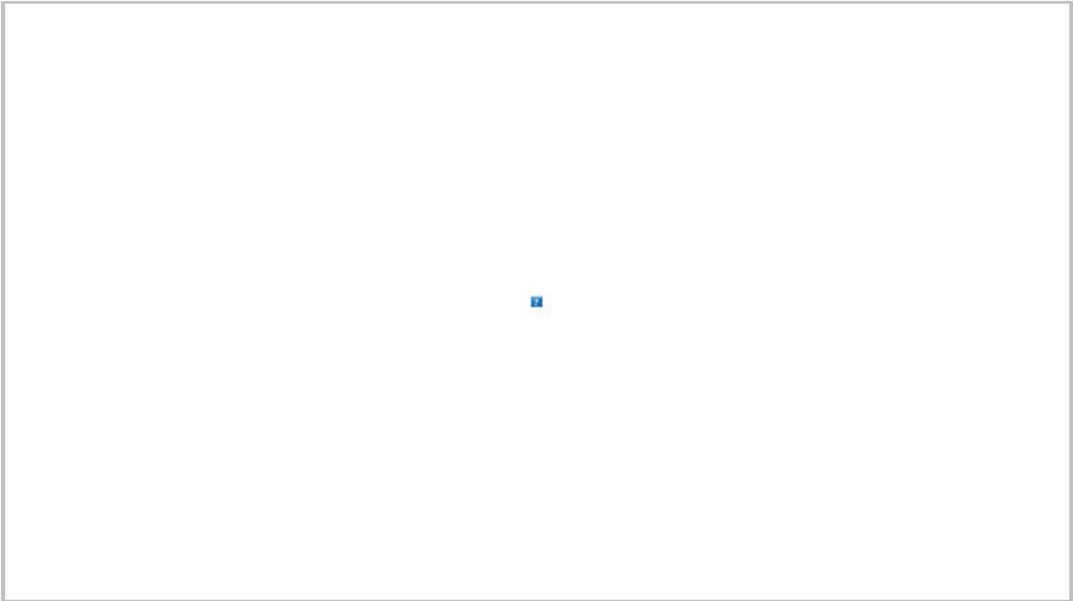
Hi S47F,

Thanks for your email and hope you are well.

Are you able to provide some further context please? Is this an escalation and if so, which platform/service does it relate to?

Cheers and thanks,

S47F



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On Mon, Oct 9, 2023 at 10:11 PM 'Elia' via s47F wrote:

Good evening team,
Providing notice of referral reference number s47G(1(b)) from the AEC this evening.
Please be in touch if you require any further information in order to progress.
Kind regards

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[Redacted] | Director
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