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Hello Jo (and to those in BCC, keeping you in the loop),

Thanks for your continued interest.

I expected there would be no capacity for assistance this late in the piece. but I do appreciate you trying. If I am still sleeping here next Tuesday night, it would be good to get an appointment with your QCAT team to work on the appeal, although I suspect this will only be of use if the appeal results in another hearing, because I've already filed the appeal so there nothing more any one can do regarding that.

On that aspect, it would be good if you could confirm the accuracy of my statement regarding the result of a "worst case scenario", that is, if QCAT refuses the stay before 4pm Tuesday, allowing the Warrant to be executed, *does that make the appeal redundant?* In other words, if I do get evicted, there's zero chance of getting back in even if the appeal later goes in my favour?

As for alternative accommodation, it is now more than a week since the Department cold called me to suggest RentConnect, and my subsequent email that afternoon to the Department questioning the suitability of that program.

In that email, I asked for further information about the accommodation they apparently had already prearranged for me, as mentioned in the hearing. The email was also sent to the Communiify support worker, who immediately began to suggest I start looking for a private rental, which is rather absurd given my circumstances, especially in the current climate. As stated earlier this week, the Department has not responded to that email, and still has not done so. During the cold call interview (which was recorded - a transcript can be provided if you like), the Department officer specifically mentioned they would be "looking out for that email later today". So they knew it was coming, and yet they've done nothing for a whole week, despite knowing that I could be homeless in just a few days. I think their inaction speaks volumes about their attitude to the matter.

The photos are very large but I'll see if I can forward them on to you. Just to clarify, the photos on 21 April were taken by the Department, and I have never seen them. I can take a photo of the front yard as it is now when the sun comes up and send it through.

I've also sent through the letters you requested, plus a letter I wrote to the Department more than three years ago asking for further information about one of their vague form letters. While the whole letter is relevant to this matter, I'd like to draw attention to the last paragraph in which I first notified the Department of my preference for written communications. It was around this time that I blocked the Department's number on my phone so they could not call me. I believe this point was also mentioned in a meeting at the Department's office in October 2020, but I have not transcribed the recording of this meeting yet so I can't confirm. The point I'm making here is that the Department knew they should not try to use oral communication with me and that I would avoid engaging in that manner as much as possible.

The letter was written more than three years ago, but I never received a response from the Department, not even an acknowledgement that they had received it.