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Operation Raven: ACT Integrity Commission gives Special Report to acting Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

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The ACT Integrity Commission has today given the acting Speaker of the ACT Legislative Assembly a Special Report (Operation Raven) detailing the Commission's consideration of a corruption complaint relating to the ACT Government's sale of land to the Canberra Tradesman's Union Club (the Tradies Club) in 2014.

The corruption complaint was made to the Commission by the then-Chair of the Assembly's Standing Committee on Public Accounts, following the May 2020 tabling of an Inquiry Report by the Committee into ACT Auditor-General Report No.3 of 2018: *Tender for the sale of Block 30 (formerly Block 20) Section 34 Dickson*. The Committee's report also recommended the Commission investigate the land sale.

The Special Report concludes that, following detailed examination by the Commission of all available material, there is no reasonable suspicion that the transaction involved corrupt conduct by either the Chief Minister or any other public official.

The Commission will not be making any further public comments regarding the Special Report at this time.

The full report and executive summary are available on the Commission's website: **integrity.act.gov.au**.

[Link to report](#)

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