

To the Office of The Legal Services Commissioner

RE Alfonsas Stonis

DOB 30/10/1974

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I am a senior social worker at Safe Haven at Camperdown Community Mental Health. I am writing to support Alfonsas Stonis DOB 30/10/1974 in challenging the rejection of his submission of complaint regarding solicitor Gillian Pots due to lateness.

I have been providing support for Alfonsas for over a year around the significant impact of his PTSD symptoms. It is clear to the team at Safe Haven that Alfonsas's PTSD symptoms have a significant impact on his executive functioning, including ability to complete tasks within set time frames. Alfonsas has often sought support from our team when pursuing legal action has served to exacerbate the impact of his PTSD symptoms.

I would appreciate if there could be consideration made for allowing flexibility with regards to lateness Alfonsas's submission of the above complaint.

Regards

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