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9 March 2019

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ACPC Chairman

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Dear Mr. Norman

**Will** [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/) **(*nee*** [**ACPC and After-care Council**](https://trove.nla.gov.au/people/633681?c=people) **to 1975) facilitate Australians with some understanding of the** [**Criminal Justice System**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Criminal_Justice_System.htm) **that want the following three adverse consequences *et al* reduced -**

**A.      read my Discussion Paper** [***Thinking Outside the Cell***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm) **(either on a** [**DVD**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Images\ThingingOutsideTheCell_DVD_9-Jan-19.jpg) **in a** [**DVD Case**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Images\ThingingOutsideTheCell_DVD_Case_9-Jan-19.jpg) **or on a** [**USB Stick Flash Drive**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Images\USB_stick.png)**); and**

**B.      complete my** [**Peer Review Form**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx) **(Word document) and email it to** [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/)**?**

**1.** [**Dozen Unsustainable Problems Within Australian Prison System**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Problems\DozenProblemsWithinAustralianPrisonSystem.htm)

**2.** [**Femicide and Filicide murders in Australia annually**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Femicide_and_Filicide.htm)

**3.** [**Exceedingly high annual recidivism*/*re-offending rates in Australia**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Problems\Recidivism_re-offendingRatesInAustralia.htm)

The [**Writer**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Writer\Writer.htm) refers to his [**Prior emails with ACPC over recent months**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\emails_with_ACPC.htm)**.**

A *burnt* DVD provides greater integrity than a USB Stick.  A DVD will auto-open (in a Windows operating system) at my [**Discussion Paper**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm) by clicking at Windows *pop ups* on the RHS of their screen when prompted, whereupon the *peer reviewer* can readily open to the 'primary page' **Letter\_to\_Peter\_Norman\_9-Mar-19.htm** and click on multiple embedded threads therein.

110+ [**Defined Terms**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Defined_Terms.htm) avoid uncertainty/misinterpretation. 180+ documents, reports, articles, discussion papers *et al* in [**Articles & Reports**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Articles_Reports\Articles_&_Reports.htm) are linked with embedded threads.  In the vast majority of the 180+ 'documents' in [**Articles & Reports**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Articles_Reports\Articles_&_Reports.htm), the text from a downloaded PDF has been extracted and saved in a dedicated htm file.  Pertinent sections of text within those reports are coloured.  The actual PDF of the primary source document/report/article is accessible by clicking on the initial thread at the top of the associated webpage.

None of those 180+ 'documents' have attempted what I seek to achieve, namely to present a [**Discussion Paper**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm) that sets out how tomaterially decrease the tangible and intangible costs/failings/weaknesses of Australia's [**Criminal Justice System**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Criminal_Justice_System.htm), not limited to **1.** **2.** and **3.** above.

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I am hopeful that academics/practitioners that profess to have an understanding of Australia's [**Criminal Justice System**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Criminal_Justice_System.htm), and are concerned about **1.**  **2.** and **3.** above, will -

A.       display requisite courage/concern to complete my[**Peer Review Form**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx)(Word document); and

B.       email their completed [**Form**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx) to [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/).

Relying upon ACPC's [**CONSTITUTION AND RULES**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Attachment_H_ACPC_CONSTITUTION_AND_RULES.htm), in particular Clause 4 '[**Objects**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Attachment_H_ACPC_CONSTITUTION_AND_RULES.htm)', I seek [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/)to publish my Discussion Paper[***Thinking Outside the Cell***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm)at [**Crime Prevention Articles**](https://www.acpc.org.au/index.php/crime-prevention-information/article-on-crime-against-women)after it has *measured* at least three completed/submitted [**Peer Review Forms**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx)*,* togetherwithpublishing all 'accepted'email submitted[**Peer Review Forms**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx)as annexures to[***Thinking Outside the Cell***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm)*.* Hence*,* worthwhile contributions by *peer reviewers* would be recognised and their comments/views available for consideration and 'Comment' on the [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/)website by people that have registered on the [**ACPC**](https://www.acpc.org.au/)website - in the same manner that financial contributors to the SMH can post a 'Comment' or tick an 'affirmative' to an existing 'Comment'.

It would be a simple 'web enhancement' task to enable readers to post their written 'Comments' on ACPC's website under the prefix of their email address, where accepted written 'Comments' are *viewable* by other readers.

Webpage[**Femicide and Filicide**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Femicide_and_Filicide.htm)lists various *Not-For-Profits* that would likely be acutely interested in my [**Discussion Paper**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm)**,**worthwhile [**Peer Reviews**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Reviewers\Peer_Review_Form.docx)andwritten 'Comments' from lots of interested readers.

[***The Father of Restorative Justice,* CaptainAlexander Maconochie**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\History\Norfolk_Island\TheFatherOfRestorativeJustice.htm),encounteredstrident criticism for his '*soft*' treatment of inmates during his four year stewardship at Norfolk Island from 1840, during an era of vicious physical punishment**;** '*soft*' treatment wasn't the*Current Wisdom* for controlling hardened criminals on 'works gangs'.  Accordingly, *traditionalists* spoke out judgmentally.

Doubtless, today there are opponents of [***Thinking Outside the Cell***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm)**,** because they hold the *Current Wisdom*, albeit that it wasn't the *Current Wisdom* amongst 97% of the 108  billion *'*circa*' Homo sapiens'* 125,000 years' occupancy of *terra firma*.  Such opponents invariably have no understanding of –

\*         the [**Sadistic, Brutal, Premeditated, Unprovoked Murder/s**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Sadistic,Brutal,Premeditated,Unprovoked_Murderers.htm)committed by the [**35 *Never to be Released* Inmates**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Solutions\35_NeverToBeReleasedInmates.htm)*et al***,** explained in [**Most Heinous Of Convicted Murderers**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Most_Heinous_Of_Male_Murderous_Convicted_Criminals.htm)**,**

\*         the abject [**QOL of *Lifers* '*Never to be Released***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\NeverToBereleasedPrisonerQOL.htm)**';** or

\*         $150,000 pa[**Administrative Cost**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\AnnualAdminCostAustralianPrisons.htm) per inmate upon the [***Public Purse***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Public_Purse.htm) of retaining each, often in a 'vegetable state', in a [**Maximum Security Prison**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Maximum_Security_Prisons.htm) until each dies from old age[.](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Maximum_Security_Prisons.htm)

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Below are extracts from [**Last man hanged: 50 years in Australia without an execution - BBC News**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Articles_Reports\BBC_News\Last%20man%20hanged.htm) - 2 Feb 2017:

“Crusading commentator-turned-politician Derryn Hinch opposed capital punishment for decades before the horrific rape and murder of Sydney nurse, Anita Cobby, by five men, including three brothers, in 1986.  **Hinch, a senator who heads his own Justice Party, says the death penalty should apply in cases such as Knight's, where no doubts exist.**

"If Australia had the death penalty, a lot of young women could be alive today," Hinch wrote in 2012.The recent case of a motorist accused of deliberately killing people in Melbourne has shocked the nation

**"If our touchy-feely parole boards spent half as much time considering victims and their families as they do to rushing serial, violent criminals back on to the streets, this world would be a safer place. And if a federal government had the guts - or a state government had the independence and backbone - to hold a referendum on the return of capital punishment for some crimes, it would pass by a majority of about 75% to 25%."**

[**SMH Note From The Editor - Wed, Mar 6, 2019**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\Articles_Reports\SMH\A_Note_from_the_Editor_6-Mar-19.htm) encapsulates topical community concern about halting domestic violence and Govt's recently announced budgets for preventative programmes.  [**The recent patent '*line in the sand*' stand announced by the Aust. Rugby League over domestic violence by denying such accused ARL football players the things that mean most to them (playing the game, earning high incomes, associated status) will have a far greater impact on reducing domestic violence amongst its players, than prevailing court concerns**](https://www.nrl.com/news/2019/03/01/nrl-ceo-todd-greenberg-hands-out-hefty-sanctions-over-integrity-issues/)that are not in the mindset of many young footballers used to prevailing through physical power.

Australians now want **2.** (further above) to be treated/reduced, with flow-on effects to 1. and 3. above.  [**Deterrents**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Deterrent.htm) have to hit where they in actuality hurt, as prescribed in the [***1st Throng***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm) and [***2nd Throng***](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\ThinkingOutsideTheCell.htm)***-*** [**Deterrents**](file:///F:\Documents\My%20Web%20Sites\Muggaccinos\Punishment\DefinedTerms\Deterrent.htm)that over 97% of the 108b *Homo sapiens* that have lived on *terra firma* over the last 125,000 years or so.

Yours sincerely



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