INQUIRY INTO CHILD PROTECTION

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Let me be blunt with you. My family and grandchildren have been through hell and still going through it, as a result of your govt department.

They stole 2 of my grand children from my daughter, I had to fight in the court to get custody of them. I had a third child stolen by the govt at 3 weeks old.

I had the first two, they would not allow me to take them to see my dying mother, that's very cruel.

They lied to me and my family and said if I gave up, they would return them to their mother, however, they gave them to strangers, a foster service.

The magistrates sided with the government; I wasted more than $50,000 on lawyers who took my money and failed to get my grand children returned to me or to their mother.

My affidavit stated the children had to be returned to me or my daughter.

It's outrageous the government uses an army of resources & government workers to steal my grand children, destroying our lives. They lied in paperwork and to our faces about a range of things, they said in writing my husband didn't want our grand-children, that's rubbish, my husband was shocked when he read their lies.

I have a large beautiful home, my daughter has a beautiful home as well. She is a Christian lady, attends church, and helps other people with their children in the community. My daughter is a good mother, she has done everything and more they asked of her, they must be returned to her. This is an injustice my family has suffered for nearly 6 years.

They took a doctors child that I know. Now I find out they are doing this to thousands of parents, decent parents and grand-parents that I have met, what right do your govt workers have to steal these children, how would you like your children stolen by the public?
Why don't you come to my home, and my daughters home, and see for yourself that we are good people. I work in the community with disabled people and home care services.

They have 3 of my grand children, the third one, , they’re trying to adopt him out to the foster service. They belong with their mother. The 3 boys are missing out on time with their aunty and uncles, & their cousin , who is accepted into the University.

For God’s sake, please return my 3 grand-children to their mother, and family.

My mobile is , please call me for a meeting.