

**INQUIRY INTO GAY AND TRANSGENDER HATE CRIMES
BETWEEN 1970 AND 2010 - 57TH PARLIAMENT**

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Partially
Confidential

I was 'born' gay into a catholic family so my life long journey was to accept what I didn't want to be and that was the fact I couldn't change how I was despite wanting to.

Later in life at age 28 suffering mental health and emotional issues I sought counselling and professional help or it was likely I would commit suicide due to being gay and not wanting to be.

A registered psychologist female who I sought professional help from then sexually assaulted me . I went to the police . The psychologist rewrote my mental health file. I was put into a diagnosis

of psychiatric at the hands of this psychologist .

The police wouldn't take my claim seriously they wouldn't take a statement I was abused and humiliated by a particular police detective over two year period.

The HCCC investigated