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obtain **RC-A605** address or telephone number without letting the parents know about what the allegations are as **RC-A605** has already said he did tell anyone else about the abuse.

DS Morgan has had a strategy meeting with Ealing SS and a strategy meeting has been set up for 13th October 2010 at 11am at Acton SS. I invited Hampshire constabulary but they are unable to make that appointment. I will inform them of the outcome of the meeting. Also Mr Ramsay of West Hill will also be attending and I have requested the headmaster only, or his deputy to attend - none of the monks from Ealing Abbey.

Today I took a statement from the victims mother. He disclosed to his mother at the time but he only disclosed that Skelton had given him sweets and put his hand under his shirt and touched his back, as a result of this information, his mother contacted Skelton and cancelled the tuition classes. She told him that the classes clashed with something else. Apparently a couple of days later Skelton kept the victim behind after class and started questioning him about what he had said to his parents and asked he what exactly he said. The victim would not speak to him and left the class and told his mother. As a result of this, the victims father wrote a letter to Skelton and they got a reply but his mother cannot remember what was said in the letter. She was still not happy with this so she and her husband contacted the school and there was a meeting there with Abbot Francis Rossiter, Father Stanislaw Hobbs and another member of the abbey but she couldn't remember who. She told them what had happened to her son

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at Skelton's flat and they said that the victim would be immediately removed from his class and they would deal with it. She has never had an update from the school since then. Her son informed her that Skelton had left school sometime after that but she is not aware when.

I have also discovered that after leaving St Benedicts the suspect went to Yatley Manor School in Hampshire. I spoke to the headmaster Mr Rob Williams but he had only been at the school for 1 year and did not know Mr skelton. He has checked their records and confirmed that he worked there from September 1985 to August 1990. They do not have any employment records due to the time elapsed. However he did speak to his predecessor, Mr Francis Howard, who was headmaster at the time of Skelton's employment and cannot recall any significant or negative issues with regards to references on appointment or reasons why Mr Skelton left the school. Mr Williams is aware that there is a police investigation in relation to Skelton and the allegations are of a sexual nature. As there are no offences at this stage regarding any pupils at this school, we are not inviting this school to the strategy meeting.

Victim has been spoken to and is aware of on-going enquiries and the fact that this is a protected matter with other police forces. He is happy with police actions and is quite prepared to wait for an outcome.

Awaits.

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Strategy meeting took place on 13/10/10. Present was Alex Parson, Chris Cleugh headmaster at St Benedicts, Alastair Ramsay, headmaster at West Hill Park School in Hampshire, Michael Bonello, SW. Confirmed that allegations