

## Julian Knight

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**From:** Latiefa Mobara <mobara@ombudsman.org.za>  
**Sent:** 30 April 2014 11:50 AM  
**To:** knights@mweb.co.za  
**Subject:** from Latiefa Mobara

Dear Mr Knight

Please see below the correspondence from Noseweek's editor, Martin Welz.

Unfortunately our office is unable to assist you with the complaint. May I suggest that you contact Mr Welz direct

Also, my sincere apologies for the delays.

Best regards  
Latiefa

I have decided for many overriding practical reasons to finally opt out of your system. You may advise all current and future complainants accordingly. You may also tell them that they are invited to communicate with me directly. As a matter of principle I have always allowed the "other side" to state its case, and been willing to rectify any errors which we have made. If, despite this, they feel they must litigate, well we will deal with that, too, when the time comes.

Many thanks for the few occasions we have had the privilege of appearing before you or enjoyed the always kind services of your office.

Warm regards

Martin Welz  
Noseweek



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**From:** Latiefa Mobara <mobara@ombudsman.org.za>  
**Sent:** 14 April 2014 09:51 AM  
**To:** knights@mweb.co.za  
**Subject:** from Latiefa

Dear Sir

Mr Welz, editor of Noseweek, has indicated that he is considering withdrawing from the Press Council's jurisdiction. We are still waiting for his final response and will convey this to you as soon as we hear from him.

My apologies for the delay in handling your complaint.

Best regards  
Latiefa



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