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Mr Paul Murphy
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Dear Mr Murphy,

Thank you for your correspondence regarding Labor's policies on whistleblower reforms.

Labor is committed to effective whistleblower protection.

The passage of the Public Interest Disclosure Act was a landmark achievement of the former Labor Government.

Labor will act to provide greater protection to encourage whistleblowers to come forward irrespective of where they work.

A Shorten Labor Government will extend the ground-breaking public sector whistleblower protection laws Labor introduced in 2013 to the private and not for profit sector.

Anyone who takes adverse action against whistleblowers will face two years jail and an \$18,000 fine, and whistleblowers will be able to take civil action for reinstatement and compensation.

Yours sincerely,

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