

QUEENSLAND POLICE SERVICE



GRIEVOUS BODILY HARM INFLICTED ON Senior Constable Tenelle Luscombe on 5 July 2007

\$100,000 REWARD

<u>REWARD</u>: The Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services and Minister for Corrective Services has approved a reward of \$100,000 be offered for information which leads to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the grievous bodily harm inflicted on Senior Constable Tenelle LUSCOMBE on 05 July 2007.

INDEMNITY FROM PROSECUTION: In addition, an appropriate indemnity from prosecution will be recommended for any accomplice, not being the person who actually committed the crime, who first gives such information.

The allocation of the \$100,000 reward will be at the sole discretion of the Commissioner of the Police Service.

<u>CIRCUMSTANCES</u>: At about 3.00am on Wednesday 5 July 2007, Townsville Police, including Senior Constable Luscombe, were called to urgently attend the Townsville nightclub precinct of Flinders Street East in response to a large number of disturbances occurring in the street. During the incident, Senior Constable Luscombe and her partner were attempting to stop one of the disturbances when an unidentified person punched Senior Constable Luscombe once to the head. Senior Constable Luscombe staggered away and sustained a large indentation to the side of her head. Senior Constable Luscombe was transported by ambulance to The Townsville Hospital. She had sustained multiple fractures to the zygoma (cheekbone) and occipital (Eye socket) and required surgery including the insertion of a steel plate with the long terms effects of facial numbness and scarring.

Any member of the public with information which could assist Police is asked to contact:

 Townsville District any Police Station; or 	, Phone (07) 47 599 711;
 Crime Stoppers, 	Phone 1800 333 000.
Office of the Commissioner of the Police Se BRISBANE.	ervice, I STEWART <u>COMMISSIONER</u>