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Okay. And was that a concern to you, that he wasn't happy with you?

---No.

10 A person working for Ausgrid who can, who can influence whether you get work with Ausgrid?---No, at the time, look, we weren't getting great work out of Ausgrid, we weren't getting anything fantastic, I mean, look, look up Ausgrid's, dividing the work they give out and who they gave it to, I mean, look at my turnover compared to everyone else's turnover. I really didn't care to be honest.

When was the last time you had any dealings with Cresnar?---As far as I remember, 2009, maybe 2010, that's about it.

Okay. And you- -?---I did have one more, I actually requested -- I phoned Cresnar and asked him were we owed any money off the contract on these projects. That would have been early last year.

20 You asked him what?---Were we owed any money in variations on the, on any projects that we did for him.

Right. Okay. So that was one conversation that you had with him?---Yeah.

And that was sometime last year?---Yes.

Can you say approximately what time last year?---I don't know.

30 It wasn't towards the end of the year, it was earlier in the year. Is that the case?---Yeah, I think so, yeah.

Okay. And it was only one conversation?---Yes.

Okay. You received this summons last week. Is that the case?---That's correct, yeah.

And you haven't had any discussions with Mr Cresnar- -?---No.

- - -since then?---No, not at all.

40 Have you spoken to anyone about this summons?---No.

Right. And you understand that it's, that it's actually a criminal offence to discuss your dealings with the ICAC. Do you understand that?---Yeah, yes.

And you haven't had any discussions with anybody?---No.