

**From:** John Hamill [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: You can't resign!!  
**Date:** 4 February 2017 at 17:38  
**To:** Gail Miller [REDACTED]



Hi Gail,

I've been so impressed by your protection of AAI interests lately. You're a credit to the organization.

I also like [REDACTED] a lot and I thought that the allegations against him didn't ring true. Against that, we have a lot of experience here in Ireland with the Catholic Church (and others) covering up such issues. I'm sure the same thing is true of the Churches in other countries too.

There is one fundamental principle. When allegations are made, irrespective of whether they are against my brother or my best friend, they must be notified to the police immediately. No ifs, no buts, no maybes, no qualifications, no conditions, no caveats. It's not easy when it's a guy I like, but that doesn't matter.

I will absolutely not serve on any Board, where there is criticism of reporting serious allegations to the police. Where such attitudes exist, resignations must follow. The rest is up to the remaining Board to deal with. I also think that the attempted fraud involving the faking of [REDACTED] email address should be reported to the police.

I will keep working on my projects. I have some more to do with [REDACTED] following your very helpful advice. I have some work also to do on the CoE application and the UN submission on Pakistan. I'll report as a volunteer into Directors on those topics. If I'm honest, I'll be much happier doing meaningful work than dealing with contrived melodrama (like the last email to Kris). So many hours spent on AAI .. so few of them on actual activism.

Best of luck to the new Board. I'll keep contributing but not as a member of the Board. Just let me know if there's anything at all I can do to help with a transition to a new Secretary. I'm happy to provide any help the new person needs or to create the Skype call tomorrow, but my resignation must stand.

Talk to you soon,  
John.

On 4 Feb 2017, at 5:10 p.m., Gail Miller [REDACTED] > wrote:

Please John, don't resign. You have added so much professionalism to this organization not to mention that I really like working with you.

Gail Miller  
[REDACTED]