

**Statement from a spokesperson for The Australian:**

The Australian's award-winning reporting of the Zachary Rolfe shooting of Kumanjayi Walker was balanced and fair.

The Australian reported all the allegations against Rolfe and many difficult aspects of this case including domestic violence perpetrated against women and children in Indigenous communities including Yuendumu.

The fact Rolfe was an acquaintance of Kristin Shorten was fully disclosed in the first episode of our podcast Yuendumu: The Trial, in August 2021.