

Grahame Antony Short Senior Coroner Coroner's Office Castle Hill The Castle Winchester SO23 8UL

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Re: Section 28 Regulation – ADASS fulfilment

Dear Mr Short,

In response to your letter and regulation 28 report to prevent future deaths we have circulated the attached briefing to all 153 local authorities with responsibility for adult social care. This was done via our news bulletin which is sent out every Tuesday afternoon. The following was sent as part of the news bulletin on Tuesday 31 October:

Confidential Briefing

We would like to draw your attention to a situation where a Coroner has issued a Regulation 28 Report (Prevention of Future Deaths). The circumstances and learning have been shared by the DASS concerned. Please see this confidential briefing for further information.

We trust this satisfies the requirement to share the lessons learnt and please let us know if any further action needs to be taken.

Yours sincerely,

Cathie Williams ADASS Chief Officer