

ANNEX A

REGULATION 28: REPORT TO PREVENT FUTURE DEATHS (1)

*NOTE: This form is to be used **after** an inquest.*

	REGULATION 28 REPORT TO PREVENT FUTURE DEATHS THIS REPORT IS BEING SENT TO: Highways Agency Essex County Council
1	CORONER I am Caroline Beasley-Murray, senior coroner, for the coroner area of Essex
2	CORONER'S LEGAL POWERS I make this report under paragraph 7, Schedule 5, of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 and regulations 28 and 29 of the Coroners (Investigations) Regulations 2013. [HYPERLINKS]
3	INVESTIGATION and INQUEST On 8 November 2019 I commenced an investigation into the death of Luiz Claudio Ramos Dos Anjos (jnr) a 21 year old man who died on 7 November 2019 at on the railway track at St Dominic's footbridge Colchester. The conclusion of the inquest was:- the deceased killed himself whilst suffering from a diagnosed mental illness. The deceased had a substantial history of mental illness stretching back over a number of years.
4	CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE DEATH See above The medical cause of death was 1a) multiple traumatic injuries 1b) train collision.
5	<u>CORONER'S CONCERNS</u> During the course of the inquest the evidence revealed matters giving rise to concern. In my opinion there is a risk that future deaths will occur unless action is taken. In the circumstances, it is my statutory duty to report to you. The MATTERS OF CONCERN are as follows. – The BTP post incident site report reported the following:- 1. No crisis signs at the location 2. Relatively easy access over the footbridge parapet and sides. It is my understanding that point 1. has been remedied but not point 2. The family of the deceased has photographs of the location which can be sent on to you.
6	ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN In my opinion action should be taken to prevent future deaths and I believe you and your organisation have the power to take such action.
7	YOUR RESPONSE

	<p>You are under a duty to respond to this report within 56 days of the date of this report, namely by [DATE]. I, the coroner, may extend the period.</p> <p>Your response must contain details of action taken or proposed to be taken, setting out the timetable for action. Otherwise you must explain why no action is proposed.</p>
8	<p>COPIES and PUBLICATION</p> <p>I have sent a copy of my report to the Chief Coroner and to the following Interested Persons –</p> <p>British Transport Police</p> <p>I am also under a duty to send the Chief Coroner a copy of your response.</p> <p>The Chief Coroner may publish either or both in a complete or redacted or summary form. He may send a copy of this report to any person who he believes may find it useful or of interest. You may make representations to me, the coroner, at the time of your response, about the release or the publication of your response by the Chief Coroner.</p>
9	<p>13 July 2020 Caroline Beasley-Murray senior coroner Essex</p>