REGULATION 28: REPORT TO PREVENT FUTURE DEATHS (1)

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

THIS REPORT IS BEING SENT TO:

MR JOHN ROOKE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE
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CAPABILITY HOUSE
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1 CORONER

I am **Mr Tom OSBORNE**, Senior Coroner for the Coroner Area of Bedfordshire and Luton.

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.

3 INVESTIGATION and INQUEST

On the 14th April 2014 I commenced an Investigation into the death of **Aaron Michael VRANAS** aged 25 years. The Investigation concluded at the end of the Inquest on 28th July 2014 at which I recorded "suicide whilst suffering from a mental illness", the medical cause of death being:

I (a) Multiple Injuries

4 CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE DEATH

On the 13th April 2014 **Aaron Michael VRANAS** fell from a 10th Floor window at Bury Court, Church Lane, Bedford, when he received fatal multiple injuries.

CORONER'S CONCERNS

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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:

Matters of concern are

told me that it would be in the best interests of the patients if the treatment of the psychiatric illness and the patient's ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder) were dealt with at the same Hospital as it is difficult to manage a patient when their treatment is carried out in two entirely different hospitals many miles apart. He went on to say in evidence that he had argued for that change many times in the past, but to no avail.

6 ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN

In my opinion action should be taken to prevent future deaths and I believe you, as the Chief Executive, have the power to take such action.

7 YOUR RESPONSE

You are under a duty to respond to this Report within 56 days of the date of this report, namely by 6th October 2014; I, the Coroner, may extend the period.

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.

8 | COPIES and PUBLICATION

I have sent a copy of my Report to:

the Chief Coroner;

and to the following Interested Person(s):

Sally Morris, Chief Executive, SEPT;

Family

I am also under a duty to send the Chief Coroner a copy of your response. 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.

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Dated this 11th day of August 2014

Tom OSBORNE Senior Coroner

Bedfordshire & Luton

