

Association of Ambulance Chief Executives

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Dear Katy Thorne KC

PREVENTING FUTURE DEATHS: LEVI LOUIS ALLEYNE

The Association of Ambulance Chief Executives (AACE) has recently received the above PFD, following the investigation and inquest in relation to the death of Levi Louis Alleyne who died on 16 November 2020.

Please note, AACE is a membership organisation, subscribed to by all UK NHS ambulance services, and as such can offer guidance, encourage collaboration across services, and represent sector views, but cannot mandate action.

I can confirm that actions taken by South Central Ambulance Service NHS Trust, to update their Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) following the inquest, have been shared across all NHS ambulance services, including a map and the appropriate contact details for each of the electricity Distribution Network Operators. In addition, to reinforce the required steps, the matter is being discussed with all Heads of Emergency Operations Centres at their meeting in January 2023.

We hope very much that this will improve the response to these types of incidents and prevent any delay in patients receiving necessary treatment on scene.

I hope this provides sufficient information for you in response to the PFD report.

On behalf of AACE, I would like to extend our sincere condolences to the family of Levi Alleyne.

Yours sincerely



Chairman:

Managing Director: