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8<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Ms Redman & Ms Bruce



Further to your Regulation 28 Report:-

Details of action taken -

The lock on the gate that gives access to the lower end of the pier has been replaced with a digital lock. The lock on the gate at the front entrance to the pier is also a digital lock.

Sussex Police have been notified of the gate codes – ref 519 of 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023

The Coastguard has been notified of the gate codes at 12:15 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023 – no ref given

ESF&R have been notified of the gate codes at 12:20 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023 – ref Rosalie

The codes are the same on both locks and are also known by the staff members at each of the leased units on the pier.

There are two life saving rings half way down the pier and three at the end of the pier, of which two are at each side and one is kept at the fishing tackle/fishermen's shop. All rings are easily visible and accessible. The length of the ropes on the life saving rings has been increased to 50 metres.



Regards



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