# **Appendix 4.3 - Example of a ruling in an inquest in writing**

[Insert Heading]

The Interest Persons are: [provide details]

[The Interest Persons are in agreement] OR [Having received no representations on reasonable grounds that a hearing should take place, I have decided] that the Inquest into the death of [deceased’s name] can be concluded under s9C Coroners and Justice Act 2009.

[Deceased’s name] was identified as confirmed by [insert details, e.g. an identity statement of [name] dated [date]].

I have had regard to: [insert details of evidence considered, e.g. a post mortem report of [name] dated [date], Statements of [names] etc].

I make the following findings of fact: [insert details].

Based upon those facts, I make the determination, findings and conclusion set out in the Record of Inquest attached.

[I would like to express condolences to [deceased’s name]’s family.]

[Signed and dated]