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Mr Andrew Bridgman  
HM Assistant Coroner for Manchester South

Dear Mr Bridgman,

Thank you for your Regulation 28 Report of 4 November regarding the death of Oliver Luke Gorman. I am responding as the Minister for Advertising, and I would like to pass on my sincere condolences to the family and friends of Oliver for their loss. I would also like to apologise for the delay in our response to you.

I can confirm that the Department for Science, Innovation and Technology (DSIT) leads on online safety. My colleague at the department, Minister [REDACTED], Minister for AI and Online Safety in DSIT, is best placed to respond to you on this tragic incident, and will be writing to you regarding this within the statutory timeframe.

Thank you again for your important contribution to this issue.

Yours sincerely,

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Minister for Creative Industries, Media and Arts