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Date: 6 March 2026

Dear Laura Bradford (Senior Coroner for East Sussex)

Prevention of Future Death Report – Oliver Anderson Long

I would like to express my deepest sympathies to the family and friends of Oliver Anderson Long.

Officials within the Department for Education have undertaken a review of the report and fully recognise the importance of the issues you have raised. Following this consideration, we have concluded that responsibility for these matters lies outside the remit of this Department. The organisations identified within the report may be best placed to provide you with a full and comprehensive response, and we trust they will be able to address your concerns appropriately.

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Families Central Division Deputy Director, Department for Education