



INQUEST TOUCHING THE DEATH OF DAWN STURGESS

DIRECTIONS – 22 SEPTEMBER 2021

1. The Secretary of State for the Home Department urgently to consider the request to take steps to establish a 2005 Act public inquiry.
2. Interested Persons' written submissions prepared for the hearing on 22 September 2021 be published on the inquest's website.
3. The application by NHS England and Improvement for designation as an Interested Person within the meaning of Section 47(2) of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 ("CJA") is refused.
4. The provisional scope of the inquest is amended (at paragraph (b)(ii)(a) of paragraph 4 of the directions of 30 March 2021) to include the involvement of Denis Sergeev (also known as Sergey Fedotov) in the poisoning of Sergei and Yulia Skripal.
5. A further Pre-Inquest Review hearing will be listed for 17 December 2021.

22 September 2021

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE BARONESS HALLETT DBE