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Dr Steven B Karch



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Dear Dr Karch,

## Death of Sheku Ahmed Tejan Bayoh Expert Witness Instruction

Thank you for your letter of 7 August 2015. I acknowledge receipt of your emails confirming fees and conditions to provide your professional services to produce an expert witness report regarding the circumstances of the death of Mr Bayoh.

Please accept this letter as formal instruction to produce an expert witness report based on the information provided within the attached package. In this regard, expert witness opinion is sought from you on;

- (a) the physiological effect of the drugs detected in the toxicology sample, individually or in combination, on the deceased in the circumstances of his arrest.
- (b) the physiological effect of the CS/PAVA spray, individually or in combination, on the deceased in the circumstances of his arrest.
- (c) the physiological effect of the physical restraint of the deceased in the circumstances of his arrest.
- (d) the physiological effect of (a)(b) and (c) on the deceased in combination in the circumstances of his arrest.

Please let me know if you require any additional information to assist you in this regard.

As you will appreciate, the material provided in this connection is shared with you on a confidential basis and should not be disseminated further without prior consideration with me via my Deputy Senior Investigator (DSI) Keith Harrower.

I trust this will allow you to undertake the work as requested. However, should you have any queries please contact DSI Keith Harrower on telephone number (international dialling code included) or email:

Yours sincerely,



Kate Frame Police Investigations & Review Commissioner