



INDEPENDENT INQUIRY CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE

Inquiries Act 2005 Restriction Order Pursuant to Section 19

Nottinghamshire Councils investigation

Background

1. On 5 October 2018, the Inquiry was informed by Nottinghamshire Police of an ongoing police investigation into P16's allegations of child sexual abuse. P16 is a complainant core participant who was due to give evidence before the Inquiry.
2. The Chair was invited to make a Restriction Order in relation to P16's witness statement which had been disclosed to core participants in order to avoid any risk of prejudice to the ongoing police investigation.
3. This is the written form of the Chair's Restriction order.

Restriction Order

4. This Restriction Order is made under section 19(1) of the Inquiries Act 2005 ("the Act") and binds all members of the public, including Core Participants.
5. This Restriction Order prohibits the disclosure or publication or sharing of P16's statement to the Inquiry dated 21 July 2018. For the avoidance of doubt, publication includes publishing information on any website, blog, Twitter or other social media.
6. In the case of public authorities, the restrictions specified in this Order take effect subject to the terms of section 20(6) of the Inquiries Act 2005.
7. Pursuant to section 20(4) of the Inquiries Act 2005 the Chair may vary or revoke this Restriction Order by making a further order during the course of the Inquiry.
8. Any person affected by this Order may apply in accordance with section 20 of the Inquiries Act 2005 to vary its terms.
9. This Restriction Order continues in force indefinitely, or unless the order is varied or revoked pursuant to section 20 of the Inquiries Act 2005.

Professor Alexis Jay
Chair, Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse

5 October 2018