

**Inquiries Act 2005  
Restriction Order Pursuant to Section 19**

**Accountability & Reparations Investigation**

**Background**

1. During Day 8 of the Accountability & Reparations investigation hearing on 5 December 2018 and during the live evidence of Sarah Erwin Jones, Council to the Investigation, Peter Skelton QC referred to information which might identify an individual who is entitled to anonymity.
2. The Chair of the Inquiry made oral orders during the hearing that the following information should be subject to a restriction order prohibiting the publication of these details:
  - a. the name of the individual who is referred to by the Inquiry as AR-A15.
3. This is the written form of those orders.

**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 of the name referred to at paragraph 2(a) above.
6. For the avoidance of doubt, publication includes publishing information on any website, blog, Twitter or other social media.
7. 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.

8. 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.
9. Any person affected by this Order may apply in accordance with section 20 of the Inquiries Act 2005 to vary its terms.
10. 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 December 2018**