



Coroner's Inquests into the London Bombings of 7 July 2005

IN THE INNER WEST LONDON (WESTMINSTER) CORONER'S COURT

ORDER

On 25 February 2010 before Dame Heather Hallett, Assistant Deputy Coroner:

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Any survivor who wants to apply to be designated as a properly interested person pursuant to rule 20(2)(h) of the Coroners Rules 1984 to file written submissions with the Solicitor to the Inquests by 4pm on 11 March 2010.
2. Any other person who considers that, if the inquests are resumed, they would be designated as a properly interested person pursuant to rule 20(2)(a) – (g) of the Coroners Rules 1984 shall write to the Solicitor to the Inquests setting out the ground upon which they consider they are so designated by 4pm on 1 April 2010.
3. No documents, including the reports prepared by the Coroner's Officers, shall be disclosed to any person unless the Solicitor to the Inquests has received a signed and dated confidentiality undertaking in the prescribed form attached. Any person seeking disclosure of any documents, including the reports prepared by the Coroner's Officers, shall send the Solicitor to the Inquests a signed and dated confidentiality undertaking.
4. The disclosure of the Coroner's Officers' reports as to the four scenes shall be as follows:
 - (a) Each family of the deceased will receive disclosure of the chapter relating to their relative, and any generic chapters of the relevant scene report, prior to any other person and / or party.

- (b) Seven days following disclosure of the relevant chapters to the families of the deceased as set out in paragraph 3(a), all chapters and / or remaining chapters of the reports will be disclosed to all persons and / or parties.
 - (c) The families of the deceased are to notify the Solicitor to the Inquests in writing whether they would like the reports to be disclosed to them via the Family Liaison Officers, Contact Officers, Legal Representatives or electronically by 4pm on 1 April 2010.
5. All persons / parties to file written submissions for the hearing on 26 – 28 April 2010 on the following issues:
- (i) Resumption of the Inquests;
 - (ii) Joinder of the Inquests;
 - (iii) Scope of the Inquests;
 - (iv) Jury;
 - (v) Applications to be designated as Properly Interested Persons pursuant to section 20(2)(h) of the Coroners Rules 1984.

The written submissions are to be filed with the Solicitor to the Inquests by 4pm on 16 April 2010.

6. The Solicitor to the Inquests to serve all written submissions received on all persons / parties by 4pm on 21 April 2010.
7. There shall be a further Pre-Inquest Review on 26 April 2010 commencing at 10.30am with a time estimate of 3 days.

UNDERTAKING TO THE COURT

I [NAME] hereby provide the following undertaking to Lady Justice Hallett DBE in her capacity as Assistant Deputy Coroner of Inner West London (“the Coroner”) for the inquests arising out of the deaths occurring following the London bombings on 7th July 2005.

I undertake to:

1. **keep safe** all documentation provided to me and/or my representatives by the Coroner, her officers and legal team, (whether it is provided to me /my representatives in hard copy, in electronic form or otherwise) and not to leave documentation unattended other than at a secure location;
2. **keep** all such documentation **confidential**;
3. **only use** such documentation **for the purposes of these inquests** and any directly related legal proceedings;

unless and until it is called in to evidence during the inquest proceedings at which point **that part of the document in question** which has been put in to evidence shall be treated as having been made public.

In giving this undertaking I understand that I may only disclose any such documentation to, and discuss it with, the inquest team and/or other people who have given identical undertakings to the Coroner. These people may include my own legal representatives and members of my family. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to ensure that any such person has given such an undertaking before discussing and/or disclosing such a document to them.

I understand that breach of this undertaking constitutes contempt of court.

I also understand that, if I wish to be released from this undertaking, I may apply in writing to the Solicitor to the Inquests, setting out the reasons for my request.

Signed Dated

Name / Organisation