



**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION  
CHANGE IN RECOGNISED LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE  
MODULE 1 - HM TREASURY**

1. On 7 September 2022, I designated HM Treasury as a Core Participant in Module 1. At the same time, I designated Michael Cockings of the Government Legal Department as its qualified lawyer in relation to this Module.
2. Following Mr Cockings' departure from the Government Legal Department, on 24 October 2022 I designated Armen Adjemian as HM Treasury's legal representative in relation to this Module.
3. On 12 January 2023, the Inquiry was informed that Mr Adjemian would shortly be leaving the Government Legal Department's COVID-19 Public Inquiry Team and that Robyn Smith would be acting as HM Treasury's legal representative in relation to this Module.
4. Accordingly, as I am satisfied that HM Treasury has appointed Robyn Smith as its qualified lawyer, I designate Ms Smith as its recognised legal representative in Module 1 in accordance with Rule 6(1) of the Inquiry Rules 2006.

**Rt Hon Baroness (Heather) Hallett DBE  
Chair of the UK Covid-19 Inquiry  
17 January 2023**