



**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION**  
**CHANGE IN RECOGNISED LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE**  
**MODULES 1, 2, 2A, 2B AND 2C - NATIONAL POLICE CHIEFS' COUNCIL**

1. On 7 September and 13 October 2022, I designated the National Police Chiefs' Council as Core Participant in Module 1 and Modules 2, 2A, 2B and 2C, respectively. At the same time, I designated Sarah Winfield of the Metropolitan Police Service Directorate of Legal Services as its qualified lawyer in relation to those Modules.
2. On 3 August 2023, the Inquiry was informed that Ms Winfield would be stepping down and that Victoria Neil would be acting as the National Police Chiefs' Council's legal representative in relation to these modules.
3. Accordingly, as I am satisfied that the National Police Chiefs' Council has appointed Victoria Neil as its qualified lawyer, I designate Ms Neil as its recognised legal representative in Modules 1, 2, 2A, 2B and 2C in accordance with Rule 6(1) of the Inquiry Rules 2006.

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