

Restriction order – anonymity – core participant #X, known as ‘AB’ – s19 of the Inquiries Act 2005

*The Order is made under section 19(1) of the Inquiries Act 2005.*

*It binds all members of the public, including Core Participants (‘CPs’), their legal teams and the media.*

*It is ordered that ‘AB’ be accorded anonymity indefinitely for all purposes in the Inquiry proceedings.*

*There shall be substituted in place of references to AB’s true name, whether orally or in writing, reference to the cipher AB. AB shall be referred to only by this cipher during the hearing of the Inquiry and in any reporting of the Inquiry hearings.*

*To the extent necessary to protect the identity of AB, any other references, whether to person or to places or otherwise, shall be adjusted appropriately.*

*No report in connection with the Inquiry proceedings may reveal AB’s past or present:*

- *Image, picture, depiction or description of AB’s appearance*
- *Occupation*
- *Personal or professional address*

*No report in connection with the Inquiry proceedings may reveal any other information which would tend to lead to the identification of AB.*

*In the event that AB is required to attend and give evidence at the public hearing of the Inquiry, AB’s physical appearance will be concealed from the public, the media and core participants, but not from the Chair, Counsel to the Inquiry or Counsel for the core participants.*

*Any person affected by any of the restrictions in this order may apply to the Chair to vary this order by giving notice of not less than 48 hours.*

*AB may apply to vary this order, on giving the Inquiry not less than 24 hours’ notice.*