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Dear Ms Wright

Thank you for your letter dated 11 January 2017 regarding the completion of the coronial inquest into the circumstances surrounding the death of Ms Radinka Mihajlovic. I note the recommendations made by Deputy State Coroner Evelyn Vicker.

The Department of Health's Coronial Review Committee is due to review the findings early in 2017. The Committee will determine what actions should be taken at a system level to address the recommendations. Following this discussion, relevant services will be responsible for developing strategies that are necessary to implement recommendations. Any actions taken by WA Health in relation to the recommendations will be included in the Coronial Liaison Unit's routine six-monthly progress reports to the State Coroner.

I trust that this information, and that provided in the ongoing six-monthly reports, will assist the State Coroner to fulfil the annual reporting requirements to the Attorney General.

Thank you for bringing this matter to my attention.

Yours sincerely

HON ANDREA MITCHELL MLA MINISTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH

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