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Coroner Spooner
Coroners Court of Victoria
Level 11, 222 Exhibition Street
MELBOURNE 3000

Dear Madam,

Findings and Recommendation in the matter of Lydia Carter

I refer to your Findings and Recommendation, published in relation to the death of Lydia Carter, and sent to the Chief Executive, Greg Tweedly in a letter dated 4 April 2012 that recommended that *"WorkSafe Victoria develops guidance material to support concessional go-kart venue operators in meeting their occupational health and safety duties, as per their previous intention. This material could also be used as an instrument to further publicise Australian Standard AS 3533.4.4 and industry association contact details"*.

I advise that WorkSafe is currently reviewing the various types of dangerous plant (including go-karts) that the community need to register with us under the *Occupational Health and Safety Regulations 2007* either related to their design or their ownership. This review will consider the various obligations relating to amusement structures.

Once that review has been completed WorkSafe will address developing what guidance material is necessary, if any, and publish it on its website.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jodie Burns".

Jodie Burns
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