FINDING INTO DEATH WITH INQUEST

Section 67 of the Coroners Act 2008

Court Reference: 2224/07

In the Coroners Court of Victoria at Morwell

I H.C.H Alsop, Coroner having investigated the death of:

Details of deceased:

Surname:

Freeman

First name:

Travis Wayne

Address:

26 Neerim St DROUIN Victoria 3818

AND having held an inquest in relation to this death on 23rd August, 2010

at Latrobe Valley

find that the identity of the deceased was Travis Wayne Freeman and death occurred on 13th June 2007 at Warragul.

From.

- 1a Aspiration pnumonia
- 1b Cerebral palsy
- 1c Epilepsy
- 1d Multiple past pnumonia's

In the following circumstances:-

I find the identity of the deceased was Travis Wayne Freeman and that death occurred at Warragul Hospital on 13th June, 2007 from aspiration pneumonia, allocated with cerebral palsy and epilepsy.

Travis Wayne freeman, born 19th January, 1976 was a resident at 26 Neerim Street a Department of Human Services, Community Residential Unit for approximately 13 years. He suffered from a large number of medical complaints. The main conditions being, cerebral palsy, scoliosis and epilepsy. His conditions meant that he was classed as high dependant of care.

As a result of Mr Freeman's conditions he was susceptible to contracting pneumonia on a regular basis and as a result was hospitalised on a regular basis. On 8th June, 2007 Mr Freeman was admitted to West Gippsland Hospital with acute pneumonia. He was very ill and did not respond to treatment. He subsequently died on 13th June, 2007.

Police attended the hospital on the day of his death and found there were no suspicious circumstances.

And I so find.

Signature:

Date:

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