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4 February 2026

Coroner Leveasque Peterson
Coroners Court of Victoria
65 Kavanagh Street
SOUTHBANK VIC 3006

By email: cpuresponses@coronerscourt.vic.gov.au

Dear Coroner Peterson

Finding without inquest into the death of David Klingberg (COR 2018 002995)

I refer to your findings and recommendations in relation to the death of David Klingberg, received by WorkSafe Victoria (**WorkSafe**) on 5 November 2025.

WorkSafe regrets the tragic circumstances of Mr Klingberg's death and loss to his family.

I note you relevantly made the following recommendation:

*"I recommend that **WorkSafe Victoria** consult with the **Piling and Foundation Safety Federation** with the view to updating the 'Piling Work & Foundation Engineering Sites – Industry Standard' to include reference to securing the auxiliary line."*

WorkSafe has met with the Piling and Foundation Safety Federation (**PFSP**), and agreed to consult with the PFSP with a view to reviewing and updating the 'Piling Work & Foundation Engineering Sites – Industry Standard' (**Industry Standard**) to include reference to securing the auxiliary line, along with other updates. WorkSafe also intends to consult with other relevant stakeholders during its review of the Industry Standard.

Should you require any further information, please encourage your officers to contact Coronial Lawyer Stella Treanor [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "S Jenkin".

Sam Jenkin
Chief Health and Safety Officer