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Dear Amanda,

Thank you for submitting the Domestic Homicide Review (DHR) report (Doris) for Norfolk Community Safety Partnership (CSP) to the Home Office Quality Assurance (QA) Panel. The report was considered at the QA Panel meeting on 4th June 2025. I apologise for the delay in responding to you.

The QA Panel commended this report for its touching opening tribute to Doris and for the strong family involvement. They found the review to be thorough and comprehensive, with clear efforts made to extract learning from a deeply distressing case. The action plan was also noted as detailed, with clear timeframes included.

The QA Panel felt that there are some aspects of the report which may benefit from further revision, but the Home Office is content that on completion of these changes, the DHR may be published.

Areas for final development:

- The QA Panel suggested that expanding acronyms on first use would improve accessibility and ensure the report is easily understood by a wider audience.
- Further anonymisation should be considered to protect the identities of the individuals referenced in the report. As it stands the nature of the case makes it relatively easy to identify those involved.
- The QA Panel noted the report is quite long and suggested that a more concise summary and streamlined content could improve readability and engagement.
- The report requires a thorough proofread prior to publication to address minor spelling and grammatical issues.

Once completed the Home Office would be grateful if you could provide us with a digital copy of the revised final version of the report with all finalised attachments and appendices and the weblink to the site where the report will be published. Please ensure this letter is published alongside the report.

Please send the digital copy and weblink to DHREnquiries@homeoffice.gov.uk. This is for our own records for future analysis to go towards highlighting best practice and to inform public policy.

The DHR report including the executive summary and action plan should be converted to a PDF document and be smaller than 20 MB in size; this final Home Office QA Panel feedback letter should be attached to the end of the report as an annex; and the DHR Action Plan should be added to the report as an annex. This should include all implementation updates and note that the action plan is a live document and subject to change as outcomes are delivered.

Please also send a digital copy to the Domestic Abuse Commissioner at DHR@domesticabusecommissioner.independent.gov.uk

On behalf of the QA Panel, I would like to thank you, the report chair and author, and other colleagues for the considerable work that you have put into this review.

Yours sincerely,

Home Office DHR Quality Assurance Panel