

Court Reference 4490/2010

14 March 2013

Coroners Court of Victoria
Level 1 436 Lonsdale St
Melbourne VIC 3000



Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: Kuti Abdurahman

I refer to your letter dated 3 June 2011 and a subsequent email on 28 February 2013 where you requested a response from Southern Rural Water (SRW) in relation to the death of Mr Kuti Abdurahman at Lake Narracan in 2010.

I apologise for not responding as requested within the three month timeframe allowed, due to an oversight within our document management system.

The Coroner's recommendation in this instance is not within SRW's responsibility to implement. SRW manage the water level in Lake Narracan through the structure at the eastern end of the lake, but we do not have responsibility or control over the surrounds of the lake nor the recreational aspects of use of the lake itself.

We have, however, been in contact with Latrobe City Council who is the responsible body for management of recreational facilities of Lake Narracan to ascertain if they have implemented the recommendation detailed in the finding. They have indicated to me that they have completed a suite of works around Lake Narracan that meet the recommendation of the Coroner. I have included a contact at the Latrobe City Council should you wish to contact them to ascertain what these works involve.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further information from SRW and I again apologise for our late response.

Yours sincerely



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