INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF SARAH LOUISE CAFFERKEY

RULING - SCOPE OF INQUEST

I, JUDGE IAN L GRAY, STATE CORONER, having heard and read the submissions of the parties in this matter, rule as follows:-

- 1. There will be an inquest into the death of Ms Sarah Cafferkey.
- 2. The dates set for the inquest, provisionally, are 29, 30 and 31 July 2015.
- 3. The issues within the scope of the inquest will be:-
 - The terms and conditions of Mr Hunter's release on parole.
 - Any risk assessment prepared and relied upon as part of the decision making process to release him on parole.
 - The assessments of Mr Hunter as to his suitability for parole prior to his release.
 - The monitoring of Mr Hunter while he was on parole.
 - Deficiencies (if any) in the Corrections Victoria and Victoria Police systems of monitoring and supervising of Mr Hunter, including the sharing of information and intelligence on him and his activities.
 - The details of the requirements for 'assessment and treatment' as a condition of his parole, including
 - i. details as to when, where and by whom the 'assessment' was made and the outcome of that assessment;
 - ii. details of any 'treatment' provided to Mr Hunter as a fulfilment of that conditions; and

- iii. details of any reports on the outcomes of the 'assessment and treatment' provided.
- Details of any breaches of parole by Mr Hunter.
- Reports to the Parole Board by Mr Hunter's parole officers.
- The transitioning of Mr Hunter from parole to non-parole.
- The implementation of the recommendations of the *Ogloff* and *Callinan* reviews of the Adult Parole system in Victoria.
- The response by Victoria Police to the reforms to the parole system as recommended in the Ogloff and Callinan reports.
- The outcomes of the criminal investigation into the disposal of Ms Cafferkey's body.

I direct that a copy of this ruling be published on the Court website.

Signature:

JUDGE IAN L GRAY

STATE CORONER

Date: