

## INQUEST TOUCHING THE DEATH OF DAWN STURGESS

## **PROVISIONAL SCOPE**

- 1. The provisional scope of the inquest is as follows:
  - a. The death of Dawn Sturgess
    - i. Dawn Sturgess pen portrait evidence
    - ii. Events June 2018 to 8 July 2018
    - iii. Medical cause of death
    - iv. Sufficiency of medical treatment
  - b. The poisoning of Sergei and Yulia Skripal
    - i. The events
    - ii. Responsibility for the poisoning
      - (a) Involvement of Alexander Petrov, Ruslan Boshirov and Denis Sergeev
      - (b) The source of the Novichok
      - (c) Russian State responsibility
    - iii. Whether the UK authorities took appropriate precautions in early 2018 to protect Mr Skripal from being attacked.
  - c. Steps taken by UK authorities to ensure public safety following the Skripal poisoning, focusing on the search for any remaining poison to include relevant aspects of police investigation / public health response
  - d. Connection between the Skripal poisoning and the death of Dawn Sturgess

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