



Brook House Inquiry
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By email only

Dear Core Participant,

Following the publication of my Report on 19 September 2023, the Public Inquiry into the mistreatment of individuals who were detained at Brook House Immigration Removal Centre in 2017 has fulfilled its Terms of Reference and is now in a position to close.

Under Section 14 of the Inquiries Act 2005, I will shortly be writing to the Home Secretary to formally announce the end of the Inquiry, which is due to close on 31 January 2024.

From mid-January, the Inquiry's mailboxes will be closed and my Secretariat will be disbanded. Following a final update to our website at the end of January, in which we will publish the final costs of the Inquiry, along with any response from recipients of my recommendations, the website will then be archived with The National Archives.

I would like to thank you for your co-operation throughout the length of the Inquiry. It has been an honour to act as Chair on an Inquiry of such public importance.

If you have any queries between now and the end of January, please do not hesitate to get in touch with my team.



Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kate Eves".

Kate Eves

Chair of the Brook House Inquiry

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