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Your ref: Grenfell Tower

Our ref: Operation NORTHLEIGH

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Dear Mr Holgate

As you are aware, the Metropolitan Police Service has opened a criminal investigation in relation to the Grenfell Tower Fire which started on 14th June 2017. The Metropolitan Police Service are currently investigating a number of potential offences that may have been committed under criminal law. Our enquiries indicate RBKC may be involved in the management, maintenance, refurbishment and/or building construction of the Grenfell Tower.

In that regard I would ask you and your organisation to confirm you will co-operate fully with the Metropolitan Police Service investigation and:

1. that you confirm by 4pm on the 20th June 2017 that all material held by RBKC that may be relevant to the criminal investigation or any other investigation associated with the incident has been preserved;
2. that you confirm by 4pm on the 20th June 2017 that no such material has been destroyed, deleted, removed, concealed, falsified or disposed of either before or after the events of 14th June 2017. If RBKC is aware that any material has been destroyed, deleted, removed, concealed, falsified or disposed of, you will inform me by 4pm on the 20th June 2017 what material was so destroyed, deleted, removed, concealed, falsified or disposed of and the reason for its destruction, deletion, removal, concealment, falsification or disposal;

3. that you confirm that if after the 20th June 2017 any material not previously notified to police comes to light as having been destroyed, deleted, removed, concealed, falsified or disposed of, you will notify the police of (i) the destruction, deletion, removal, concealment, falsification or disposal of that material, (ii) the date and (iii) circumstances of and reason for its destruction, deletion, removal, concealment, falsification or disposal;

Any obstruction of justice will be taken with the utmost seriousness by the Metropolitan Police Service including, in addition to any other offences, by commencing prosecution against individuals we consider to have obstructed/ perverted the course of justice.

Your single point of contact is Detective Inspector Simon Stancombe. Any enquiries regarding this letter or any other issues surrounding this investigation should be directed to Detective Inspector Simon Stancombe who can be contacted by telephone on [REDACTED] or email simon.stancombe@met.pnn.police.uk

Yours Sincerely

Detective Chief Inspector Matt Bonner

Senior Investigating Officer.