

Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of

Mr Edward Teague on 22/01/2022 at HMP Humber

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Governor should ensure that documents are retained, securely stored and promptly provided to the Prisons and Probation Ombudsman following a death in custody, in line with Prison Service Instruction 58/2010.	Accept	<p>Since Mr Teague's death new staff have joined the security function and have all received appropriate training with regards to handling evidence and preparing documentation after a death in custody.</p> <p>All documentation following a death in custody is collated by the Security department, a checklist is in place to ensure all information is collected as evidence. The evidence is kept in a secure evidence room within the security department, which is only accessible to specific staff. This provides assurance that the documentation is securely stored. As per PSI 64/2011 "<i>All documents must be retained for a period of 20 years after the inquest has concluded, for the purpose of civil litigation.</i>"</p>	Governor	July 2022