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Dear Ms Quirk

ACCESS TO CCTV FOOTAGE

I refer to your letter to the Commissioner of Police, dated 13 October 2016, requesting the CCTV footage filmed before the death of Ms Dhu.

In relation to your request, the CCTV material from the South Hedland Health Campus and Police lockup was seized by police, acting as Coroner's investigators, under Section 33 of the *Coroners Act 1996* and surrendered to the Coroner as part of the Coroner's brief. As such, the material is in the possession of the Coroner's Court.

Yours sincerely

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COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

 27 October 2016