

FAMILIES AND THE INQUEST SYSTEM – INQUEST’S VIEW 4th AUGUST 2003

INQUEST have published a report on How The Inquest System Fails Bereaved People in direct response to the Fundamental Review of Coroners’ Services. This response is based on INQUEST’S 21 years of advising and supporting bereaved families, campaigning to safeguard justice and working for truth and transparency within the current inquest system.

INQUEST believes that the current inquest system is failing and that this is highlighted by deaths that raise questions of state or corporate accountability.

The Fundamental Review by Dame Janet Smith DBE and its terms of reference are timely and it is hoped that the review could have profoundly important implications for bereaved people and society as a whole in relation to public health and safety.

Families rights and state accountability are restricted within the current system. INQUEST’S report suggests fundamental changes that can be made in order to put right these issues. INQUEST wants to help reform what is one of the most neglected areas of the law.

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