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Dear Lady Justice Hallett,

I am writing to appoint you to conduct such inquisitorial inquiries as shall be assigned to you from time to time, with your agreement, by the Ministry of Defence and to report on your findings.

The first two of these will relate to the deaths of Ahmed Jabbar Kareem Ali on 8 May 2003 and Saeed Radhi Shabram Wawi Al-Bazooni on 23 May 2003. The terms of reference for both investigations, which were agreed with the previous Inspector and confirmed in writing on 23 December 2015 and 15 February 2018 respectively, remain unchanged.

As the Divisional Court emphasised when ordering the Ministry of Defence to establish this process of inquisitorial inquiries, the proceedings should be conducted expeditiously, proportionately and economically.

You will be paid a daily rate (or part thereof) equivalent to the scale of remuneration payable to a Lady Justice of Appeal.

I am most grateful to you for accepting this responsibility.

THE RT HON BEN WALLACE MP

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