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CHAPTER 4

Handling of Death and Serious Injury Matters

Power of the Commissioner to treat DSI matter as having been referred

- **30.**—(1) The Commissioner may treat a DSI matter that comes to the Commissioner's attention otherwise than by having been referred to the Commissioner under regulation 29 as having been so referred.
 - (2) Where the Commissioner treats a DSI matter as having been so referred—
 - (a) regulations 27 and 29 do not apply, or cease to apply, in relation to the matter except to the extent provided for by regulation 29(3); and
 - (b) regulations 31 and 32 apply in relation to the matter as if it had been referred to the Commissioner by the appropriate authority under regulation 29.
- (3) The Commissioner must notify the appropriate authority that the Commissioner is treating a DSI matter as having been so referred.
- (4) Where an appropriate authority receives a notification under paragraph (3) in respect of a DSI matter and the matter has not yet been recorded, the appropriate authority must record the matter.