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**Statement from Olive Macleod, RQIA Chief Executive
Ashbrooke Care Home Inspection Report Published Today**

“During an unannounced inspection at Ashbrooke Care Home on 16 August 2017, RQIA identified systemic care failings and serious concerns in relation to the management of the home. As a result of these concerns RQIA moved to cancel the registration of Runwood Homes Ltd. in respect of Ashbrooke Care Home, which has now closed.

RQIA’s inspection report, which highlights the series of breaches in regulation identified, is published today (15 September 2017) at www.rqia.org.uk/inspections.

Everyone living in a nursing or residential care home is entitled to the highest standard of care, and the ongoing safety and wellbeing of every patient and resident in Northern Ireland’s care homes is of paramount importance to RQIA.”

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Please note: RQIA will not be making any further comment at this time.

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