

17th December 2006

This press release is embargoed until 7.30pm this evening Sunday 17th December, and is in relation to the ongoing enquiries into the murder of Anneli Alderton

Police will this evening, Sunday 17th December, be carrying out witness checks on the platforms at Dovercourt, Manningtree, Colchester and Ipswich stations and on the 17:53 train from Harwich to Colchester, which stops at Manningtree and the 18:34 from Manningtree to Ipswich, two weeks on from when Anneli Alderton was last seen on Sunday 3rd December.

Officers will be at the stations and on the train asking travellers if they have any information that may assist enquiries into Anneli's murder.

You are welcome to attend the area to film or take pictures between 5pm and 7pm tonight, Sunday 17th December but we would ask that you do not publicise these checks before 7.30pm, so that members of the public who would normally use the trains continue to do so.

Please appreciate that the trains and stations may be busy and we would ask that you consider the rights and privacy of travelling members of the public.