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Discussion about the outcome of the hearing. Noting that the coroner does not want any publicity at this stage. Obviously, we will respect this. There is interest from the Sunday Times and the BBC, both television and radio.

I will send him a briefing note. This is brief. The Coroner emphasised that the meeting was private. Gill Savage would have been in attendance but was unable to come. Therefore, she could have taken this information had she been there anyway. He will treat this as an AVMA document and it will be private between AVMA and the other concerned families who they are liaising with over the GMC hearing. I emphasised that it should not be disseminated generally. He understands this.

We discussed the position of the other families. Apparently, the decision was made by the Secretary of State. There is no firm decision. We could not push this yesterday because we felt it would be premature. When the documentation is disclosed then this may clarify the picture. We have got details from the families and these have been placed on the coroner's file.

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