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Long telephone conversation with Iain Wilson.

He has found it difficult adjusting over the last two weeks. He needed some time away from the case. The Inquest has helped and we had answers to two of the questions. In relation to the middle question this does have some limitations. I was concerned whether the treatment was given for therapeutic reasons or not but did not say whether they were appropriate therapeutic reasons.

Discussed the following:-

- Representations to the CPS
- Forthcoming GMC hearing
- Public enquiry and role of Peter Viggers
- Private prosecutions
- Group action civil claim.

Initially he was adverse to bringing any action for damages. However this was because previously Ann Alexander he thought there would be a confidentiality clause. He would be prepared to do a civil claim if this would bring Dr. Barton to Court. I think this will be a helpful way forward. I am trying to co-ordinate matters with other members of the potential group. We have families who were excluded from the Inquest and are looking at whether they can be included.

He would still favour a public enquiry. I know that AVMA have written to the Secretary State about this. Also when we have formed the group I will write to Peter Viggers and press the case for this.

In the meantime the main issue for him is dealing with the GMC hearing. He is preparing for this. We noted that they seem to be rushing ahead with this which seems surprising given the length of time of the overall case.

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