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18th September 2002

Dear Madam,

Gosport Wharf Memorial Hospital

Further to our recent telephone conversations the copy of your letter to the Attorney General of 28 August 2002, which you copied to the Director of Public Prosecutions has been passed to me to reply to you. I also have your separate copy to me of that correspondence and a further copy correspondence enclosed with your letter to me of 29 August 2002.

As you know from our recent telephone conversations I understand that the Hampshire Constabulary are preparing papers which they will submit to me for consideration. I understand that this will be in the very near future. Obviously I cannot comment at this stage on the nature of the papers, which the police propose to submit, or the extent to which they will contain evidence upon which any decision to prosecute can be made.

Hopefully once I have the further papers many of the issues which you have raised will become clearer.

Yours sincerely

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