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Our Ref: P/02/17
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Dear **Code A**

Please find **attached** a copy letter from Mr Bernard Page relating to Gosport War Memorial Hospital. Please find **enclosed** a copy of my response to him.

Yours sincerely

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Dear Mr Page

Thank you for your letter dated 30 August, addressed to the Attorney General. He has asked me to respond on his behalf.

May I convey my sympathies to you on the death of your mother at Gosport War Memorial Hospital.

I should clarify initially that the Attorney General has no Ministerial oversight over the police. He does, however, oversee the Crown Prosecution Service. I understand that presently the CPS is still actively considering papers relating to the Hospital, therefore, it would be inappropriate for him to intervene.

I have, however, forwarded your letter to the Director of Public Prosecutions for consideration and a response.

Yours sincerely

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