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Sent: 16 October 2013 15:34

To: Reeve Hilary
Subject: RE: statistics

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Hilary,

Excellent. Just one tiny change at the end (and additionally, I have changed 'any' to 'an' impact). After punctuation it seems to eb a good letter, but I'm sure others will make comment.

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Hilary,

Do these assist. One of the principle cases is *R v Atkins and Atkins* [2009] EWCA Crim 1876. But it quotes from:

R v Gardner [2004] EWCA Crim 1639: - 'Now has he [- the expert -] gone too far in the material available to him? You

cannot test his results in the way in which an examiner can test a student's examination paper in mathematics, and so you will want to approach his evidence with caution.'

Additionally, in a published speech by the Senior Presiding Judge LJ Leveson in 2009 to an expert witness conference:

'The answer is to examine what the expert says from a general scientific perspective, to examine the rigour of the approach and whether it complies with accepted scientific methodology; whether there is a use or misuse of statistics;'

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