

**POLICE COMPLAINTS AUTHORITY**

Ms M Bulbeck

Code A*Your reference**Our Reference***Code A***Date*

19 June 2003

Dear Ms Bulbeck

As you are aware, Hampshire Constabulary has forwarded the report of your complaint to this Authority. I am writing to advise you that there will be some delay before the outcome of your complaint is reached. This is because there is a considerable volume of material to consider and it is likely that we shall need to have further discussions with the force before we reach our final decision.

The report submitted to the Authority is not a re-investigation of the criminal allegations concerning the Gosport War Memorial Hospital. Rather, the scope of the complaint investigation is limited to establishing whether there has been a breach of the Police Codes of Conduct. However, I would like to reassure you that the issues raised in relation to Chief Superintendent James' conduct will be thoroughly and independently considered.

Yours sincerely

Code A**ALISON MacDOUGALL**
Authority Member