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Dear Ms Marsh

Re: Meeting at Alverbank Hotel

I write on behalf of Mr & Mrs Bulbeck and myself.

We are grateful to Ms Semple, Ms Allen and yourself for the explanation and response to the queries raised during the meeting.

We are particularly grateful for the clarity of your response to the various matters and we noted your willingness to investigate further the various issues raised.

We do not wish you to involve yourself and/or other members of the IPCC in time consuming exercises which will not improve the service the IPCC provides to complainants and we therefore leave it to your discretion as to what action to take in respect of the matters raised.

The final version of the outcome of the complaint against Mr James is of interest to us and we await our copy of that document.

We are grateful to you for the offer to look into any other complaint we may have concerning Hampshire Constabulary and we will correspond with you in the near future.

We are grateful also to [Code A] for her willingness to assist us and to Mr Wadham for his willingness to discuss matters. As stated to you, we do not wish to waste people's time and you have clarified to our satisfaction the various issues we wished to raise with Mr Wadham. There is therefore no need for him to feel he should make contact with us.

It may well be that the final version of the report does bring about a request for further action. However, in view of that learnt today, it would appear to be possible for the IPCC to produce a final report which brings the complaint against Mr James to a conclusion without causing complainants to wish to take the matter further. As Ms Temple made clear, the wording of the report is the critical factor once one has accepted the limits of intervention by the IPCC in this particular case.

In conclusion we reiterate our gratitude to the three of you and regret that it was necessary for such a meeting to have to take place to satisfy our concerns.

Yours sincerely,

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