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Dear Mr Farthing

I write further to my letter of 1 May 2007 and apologise for the delay in getting back to you.

We confirm that we are currently conducting an investigation concerning the Gosport Memorial Hospital which includes the treatment of your late step-father, Mr Cunningham.

Our Solicitors, Field Fisher Waterhouse, are conducting the investigation and Ms Sarah Ellson is the Solicitor in charge.

I will ask Miss Ellson to keep you informed of the progress of the investigation and to answer your query concerning the disclosure of information.

If you wish to contact Ms Ellson direct her contact details are:

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Yours sincerely

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