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**Note of Telephone Conversation**

Telephoned [Code A] at Dept of Health (DoH) [Code A] in connection with the FOI request we had received from [Code A] for a copy of Prof Richard Baker's report into the deaths at Gosport War Memorial Hospital.

I explained that we had received a request for the report via the website whatdotheyknow.com and we were seeking his views in connection with disclosure. [Code A] advised that it has always been, and remains, the DoH view that whilst any investigations/coroners inquests are outstanding the report would not be disclosed. He also confirmed he was aware that the DoH had received similar requests for the report via whatdotheyknow.com which had been refused. [Code A] went on to advise that parliamentary questions had also been raised on the subject.

I thanked [Code A] for his assistance and confirmed his email address in order that I could get his views in writing. [Code A] confirmed this as [Code A] I advised that I would send him an email reiterating the request and asked that he respond formally. He said that he will probably be able to get back to me tomorrow.

[Code A]  
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