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Code A

From: Williams, David M
Sent: 06 October 2005 11:49
To: Williams, David M
Cc: Grocott, David; Niven, Nigel; **Code A**
Subject: FW: Dr Jane Barton

Spoke with Ian BARKER.. a/m 6th October 2005.

This mail prompted by a Portsmouth News article last week..

Gave him a general update..

Interviews with Dr BARTON will progress as planned.. Mr BARKER complimented the process which he and his client considered a professional and appropriate format..

Informed that approx 76 cases had been formally released from police investigation to the GMC and the NMC.. including the case of Gladys RICHARDS which had been confirmed a category 2..

Currently engaged with Counsel David PERRY and CPS who will ultimately decide the course of this investigation when they have considered all of the evidence in respect of Cat 3b's.

Police investigation timescales Nov/Dec this year on track.. 600+ statements taken from healthcare professionals..

DW.

From: Barker Ian **Code C**
Sent: 06 October 2005 08:49
To: Williams, David M
Subject: Dr Jane Barton

Dear Mr Williams

I would be very grateful if we could have a word as soon as you have a moment, about the number of cases in relation to which Dr Barton will be interview, and about progress and the press.

To remind you, my direct line is **Code A**

Best wishes

Ian Barker

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