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Manv. thanks for this. Please do not hesitate to contact me or the case officer **[Code A]** regarding any further matters arising.

Regards
Clare

Clare Strickland

Legal team leader

In-house legal team

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Sent: 17 August 2010 10:18
 To: Clare Strickland
 Subject: Gosport War Memorial Hospital
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Clare,

Good morning,

I would like to bring you up to date in respect of developments in the Gosport War memorial Hospital case. The CPS have concluded their review of the evidence presented at both the Coroners inquests and the GMC Fitness to Practice Hearings.

It is their considered opinion that there remains in relation to Dr Barton no realistic prospect of conviction for the offence of gross negligence manslaughter. This decision by the Crown Prosecution Service brings to an end the eleven year investigation by Hampshire Constabulary into allegations of criminal intent connected to the deaths of patients at Gosport War Memorial Hospital.

The families are receiving notification of this decision by letter this morning.

I have attached a copy of the letter that is in the post to you. No doubt we will be communicating further in the forthcoming weeks in relation to Freedom Of Information requests.

Regards

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