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Your Ref: 516130/000001/JCW/GOSPORT/GTB

27 April 2009

Dear Sirs

**Your Client Mrs M Ward:**

I refer to your letter dated 24 April 2009, the contents of which I note.

Your client's mother was not one of the subjects of the recently completed Inquests into deaths at Gosport War Memorial Hospital, nor have I subsequently opened an Inquest into her death. Consequently, I do not believe that I am at liberty to supply any documentation to either you or your client.

If I am mistaken as to my legal powers, no doubt you will direct me to the statutory provision(s) which would empower me as Coroner to accede to your request in these circumstances.

Yours faithfully

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