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John, L

To:
Subject:

Code A

Richards

Important

Hello Lou

I have seen

Could this

please?

Regards

Lisa

From: John, Lisa**Sent:** 15 November 2012 10:31**To:** 'jchopping@'; Code A**Subject:** Re: Inquest of Gladys Richards

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Subject: FW: Re: Inquest of Gladys Richards
Importance: High

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David C. Horsley, LL.B, Solicitor
H.M. Coroner
Portsmouth & South East Hampshire

John, Lisa

From: Chopping, Jane [jchopping@bsuh.nhs.uk] **Code A**
Sent: 15 November 2012 10:30
To: John, Lisa
Subject: Automatic reply: Inquest of Gladys Richards

I will be away from the office from 13 - 26 November inclusive, if your email is urgent please do not hesitate to contact my colleague, Louise Buys, Dean's Office on [redacted] **Code A** in my absence.

With kind regards

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