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Dear Dr O'Hara

Meeting on 16 June 2000 with Mr and Mrs Crawford

I would like to record my appreciation and add it to the sentiments expressed by Mr and Mrs Crawford for your willingness to meet them and discuss the post mortem examination conducted on their daughter Lucy.

Whilst the meeting was not easy it was obvious that you were prepared to take time out of your busy work schedule to explain the findings in 'lay peoples language' and within a context of compassion and sensitivity to their obvious painful loss.

In accepting this role you have reminded me of the caring dimension of investigative medicine.

Certainly Mr and Mrs Crawford now have a clearer understanding of the issues which contributed to Lucy's death.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Stanley E Millar Chief Officer