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Dear Sir

ADAM STRAIN (DECEASED) - INQUEST AND POTENTIAL CLAIM

We refer to your letters of 9 May and 13 May 1996.

Please note that with regard to the comments from the two clinicians we are looking at this and think it would be useful in due course to have a further meeting. We will contact you within the next few days regarding this matter.

With regard to the potential claim, we have written to the Plaintiff's Solicitors and advised that we will contact them as soon as possible regarding the discovery issues. In the meantime we would suggest that an appropriate way to facilitate the discovery process would be to copy the records for the immediate episode of care i.e., from the admission for the transplant and these could be provided to the Solicitors. They could also then be advised that they could have access to the further records on sight at the hospital and if required additional copies could then be arranged. We would be obliged if you would contact us further regarding this matter.

Yours faithfully

Brangam, Bagnall & Co

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