

The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

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Dear Ms Rodgers,

Re: Request for Documents

I refer to the above matter.

The Inquiry received documents from the Department at the time of establishment. Enclosed for your ease of reference is a copy of a letter dated 18 March 2005 from the Office of the Permanent Secretary to the Chairman. You will note the assurance to forward all updated or new information relevant to the Inquiry on an ongoing basis.

To assist, I enclose for your attention copy indices which list the Departmental documents currently in the Inquiry's possession. That documentation is limited to the period from late 2001 to 2004. I would be grateful if you would review all Departmental papers relating to the issues the Inquiry is investigating, as detailed in the List of Issues (available on the Inquiry's website). Thereafter please forward all additional documents to ensure that the Inquiry has all relevant documents to cover the period 2001 to the present day.

I would also be grateful if you would provide a list of personnel, identifying the job description and grade of all of those who are named in the papers. This will assist the Inquiry team with redacting the papers. Equally should you have any representations regarding redactions which should be made before the documents are circulated, please advise me.

I would be grateful if the papers were indexed and sent to the Inquiry Secretariat before Friday 24th November 2012. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Yours sincerely,



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