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From: Mulhern, Kevin
Sent: 05 April 2004 09:34
To: Lindsay, Sharon; Gowdy, Clive; Campbell, Dr Henrietta; Shannon, Colm; Carson, Ian
Subject: FW: minister interview - Lucy Crawford/Impartial Reporter

Folks

As with the UTV interview bid for the Minister received on Friday, I would advise that we issue a Departmental statement to the Impartial Reporter and do not put the Minister up for interview.

Happy to discuss

Kevin

-----Original Message-----

From: Denzil McDaniel [mailto: [REDACTED]]

Sent: 05 April 2004 09:15

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Subject: minister interview

Kevin.

Further to our phone conversation on Friday, can I request an interview with the Minister on the subject of Lucy Crawford, the baby who died in the Erne Hospital, Enniskillen in April 2000.

There is considerable public interest in my area in this case.

I would like to discuss the implications with the Minister; her views, for example, on the Coroner's findings, the issue of public accountability and how public confidence can be restored in the health service in this area.

On reflection on our conversation, I would be satisfied with a telephone interview. As we go to press on Wednesday, I would prefer this to be Monday or Tuesday, but Wednesday morning would also be fine.

Denzil

DHSSPS-C Gowdy

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