

Stella - Leah

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Re Lucy Campbell (Deceased)

On Friday 14 April 2000 Dr O'Donoghue Consultant Paediatrician authorised Dr Kelly Medical Director that 17 month old Lucy who was admitted to the Children's Ward General Hospital on Wednesday 12 April 2000 evening had deteriorated rapidly early on 13 April morning had been transferred to the Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children Intensive Unit and was at the stage of his report to Dr Kelly, declared brain dead. Dr Kelly authorised Mr Hill's Chief Executive and Mr Lee Director of Antrim Hospital General by telephone and requested that Mr Lee consider establishing a review of Lucy's case at the General Hospital.

Mr Lee spoke to Dr Anderson at 1 PM and it was agreed that they would jointly co-ordinate this review.

It was confirmed on Monday 17 April that Lucy Campbell had died at hospital in Belfast and the funeral was held on ~~Friday~~ Sunday 19 April. Between ~~Friday~~ Monday/Tuesday 17/18 April Dr Anderson and Mr Lee met with Dr O'Donoghue, Dr Malik, Mr Edmondson, S/D McManus, S/D McCaffrey and S/D McNeill to offer them support and to endorse them of our intent to conduct a review.

On Wednesday 19 April Dr Anderson and Mr Lee met to review the case notes and agreed the following action plan:

- 1/ That staff listed above and Dr Anderson Consultant Anaesthetist would be asked to provide a written account of the sequence of events from their perspective.
- 2/ That the case notes/copy of case notes would be made available for reference to those concerned. Dr Anderson agreed to get a copy of the case notes made and have both the copy and the original returned.