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Dear Mr Walby

RE: CLAIRE ROBERTS (DECEASED)

Thank you for your letter of 4th August.

I note your comments.

I think that it is perhaps better to let sleeping dogs lie and see how things develop. I think it is more than likely that the correspondence which I have sent to the Coroner will in turn have been sent to Mr O'Hara.

If you hold strong views to the contrary please advise by return whereupon I will immediately contact Mr O'Hara although the Coroner has made a determination and one would not want to be seen to try to influence that determination bearing in mind the nature and the content of the subsequent correspondence with the Coroner's Office.

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Should you wish to discuss this matter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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