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3<sup>rd</sup> May 2006

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4/5/06

Dear Mr Walby

**CLAIRE ROBERTS (DECEASED) -v- ROYAL GROUP OF HOSPITALS**

I refer to previous correspondence in connection with the above and in particular to the ongoing Inquest touching upon the death of the above named Claire Roberts.

As you are aware Dr David Webb, Consultant Paediatric Neurologist, gave evidence on 28<sup>th</sup> April.

Professor Young, Consultant in Clinical Biochemistry, Mr Andrew Sands, Consultant in Paediatric Cardiology and Dr Steen, Consultant Paediatrician are to give their evidence on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May. If necessary further evidence can be given on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May.

I appreciate that you have the original case notes and you are to pass the same to the various Clinicians for their comments. In particular I understand that you are to bring to the attention of the Clinicians that the sodium serum level was measured at 121 on 2 separate occasions.

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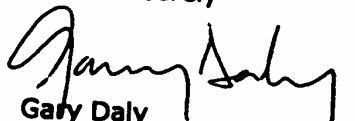


It remains possible that the death of Claire Roberts will be referred to Mr O'Hara's Public Inquiry. This death does not appear to fit within the terms of reference of that Inquiry and Counsel, Mr Michael Lavery BL, will make this point to the Coroner in due course.

In the meantime I enclose a copy of the relevant death certificate for your records.

Should you wish to discuss this matter or require further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

  
Gary Daly  
for Brangam Bagnall & Co

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Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976, Article 38

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DEATH registered in the district of CASTLEREAGH

D1996/C1/0628

1 Name and Surname : Claire Margaret Roberts  
 2 Sex : Female  
 3 Date of death : Twentythird October 1996  
 4 Place of death : Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children  
 5 Usual address (if different from place of death) :   
 6 Marital Status : Single  
 7 Date and place of birth : 10 January 1987 Belfast  
 8 Occupation : Daughter of Alan John Roberts a   
 9 Maiden name (of woman who had married) :   
 10 Cause of Death : (a) Cerebral oedema  
 (b) Status epilepticus

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11 Qualification of informant: Uncle

12 Address of informant :   
 13 Signature of informant : T. Roberts

14 Date of Registration : 24 October 1996

15 Signature of Registrar : Margaret McVeigh

Registrar

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Registrar

Date

Twentyfourth October 1996



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