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10th April 2006

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Dear Mr Walby

RE: CLAIRE ROBERTS (DECEASED) –v- ROYAL GROUP OF HOSPITALS

I refer to previous correspondence in connection with the above and in particular to my meetings with Dr Steen and Dr Sands on 3rd April and my subsequent meeting with Professor Young on 7th April.

I hope to have the opportunity of speaking with Dr Webb, Consultant Paediatric Neurologist, by telephone over the course of the coming days. I will advise you of the outcome of that conversation in due course.

I appreciate that this matter is proceeding to a one day inquest to be held on 25th April.

I propose to retain Counsel, Mr Michael Lavery B.L. in relation to that inquest. I think it is appropriate to retain Mr Michael Lavery B.L. bearing in mind that he has been involved in the Public Inquiry. I trust that you agree with this recommendation.

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

Yours sincerely

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for Brangam Bagnall & Co