## The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

Chairman: Mr John O'Hara QC

Ms Wendy Beggs Directorate of Legal Services 2 Franklin Street BELFAST BT2 8DQ Your Ref: NSCB04/1 NSCW50/1

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Dear Ms Beggs,

## Re: The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-Related Deaths

I refer to your letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> October 2011 in which you advised that RHHSC introduced "Paediatric Medical Guidelines" in May 1997. You further advised that a second edition of these guidelines was later produced but that a copy is no longer available.

In relation to the second edition of the guidelines, the Inquiry requires confirmation of the exact date when these guidelines were issued. The Inquiry believes that Doctor Moira Stewart may be in a position to assist you with this query.

Please provide the requested information by 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2012.

Yours sincerely,

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