

The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

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Your Ref: NSC B04/1

Our Ref: AD-0168-10

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Dear Ms Beggs

. Re Investigation into the death of Adam Strain

I refer to the above and to a letter dated 30th July 2010 from Mr. A P Walby, on behalf the Belfast Trust, to me.

Therein it is stated that documents required by the Inquiry are stored on the Hummingbird electronic record system, referred to as now being inaccessible. Mr. Walby refers to the Belfast Trust "investigating whether a licence can be raised to access these".

I would be grateful if you would elaborate on the reasons why a licence is required, the steps that the Belfast Trust is taking to obtain this information and indicate when the outcome of this action is likely to be made known to the Inquiry.

I am grateful for your assistance.

Yours sincerely,



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