The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

Chairman: Mr John O'Hara QC

Ms Angela Crawford Directorate of Legal Services 2 Franklin Street BELFAST BT2 8DQ Your Ref: NSCB04/1 NSCW50/1 NSCS071/1

Our Ref: BMcL-0046-13

Date: 10th January 2013

Dear Ms Crawford,

RE: Raychel Ferguson Preliminary

I refer to my letter of 6 November 2011 (BMcL-0018-12) seeking additional documents, specifically described, from the former Sperrin Lakeland Trust/Erne Hospital.

You sought an extension of time to reply until 11 December, to which the Chairman responded on 27 November.

Additional specific documents of the former SLT/Erne Hospital were requested in my letters of 3, 12, and 17 December (BMcL-0033-12 0038-12 and 0040-12 respectively). To date no substantive response has been provided to any of these requests.

You will appreciate that oral hearings into this part of the Inquiry are now scheduled to start at the beginning of March.

I must advise you that if a substantive response to my letter of 6 November together with your client's firm and realistic timeframe for responding to my letters of 3, 12 and 17 December 2012, is not received by Monday 14 January the Chairman will require an explanation to be given at the oral hearings in Banbridge of next week.

I look forward to hearing from you by return.

Yours sincerely,

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