

The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

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Your Ref: NSCB04/1
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Our Ref: BMcL-0082-13

Date: 7th May 2013

Dear Ms Beggs,

Re Raychel Ferguson

Please take instructions from your clients the Belfast Trust and the Western Trust as appropriate, on the following matters:

1. Was Raychel's death reported to the National Confidential Inquiry into Perioperative Deaths (NCEPOD) by:
 - a) The Royal Trust/RBHSC;
 - b) The Altnagelvin Trust/Altnagelvin Hospital?If so by which Trust /Hospital was it reported? If it was not so reported please explain why not.
2. Who were the persons responsible for making reports to NCEPOD in June 2001 in:
 - a) The Royal Trust/RBHSC;
 - b) The Altnagelvin Trust/Altnagelvin Hospital.

Please let me have a response by 21 May 2013.

Yours sincerely,



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