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Brian McLaughlin

The Inquiry into Hyponatraemia-related Deaths

By email: inquiry@ihrdni.org



Dear Brian

Re: Raychel Ferguson

I acknowledge receipt of your correspondence dated 28th February 2013 and confirm that I have now taken instructions from Dr. Carson in relation to the matters raised therein. For ease of reference, I have used the same paragraph numbering as in your letter of 28th February.

- 1. Dr. Carson's understanding is that a decision was taken by the anaesthetists in the RBHSC to change their use of number 18 solution. This decision was taken at a local level within the RBHSC.
- 2. (a) Unable to recall
 - (b) Unable to recall
 - (c) I do not know
 - (d) The decision was taken at a local level within the RBHSC and more precise information may be available from the anaesthetists involved
 - (e) I do not recall
 - (f) I do not recall

Yours faithfully