

## White, John

To: Stephen Lloyd
Subject: Meeting with Norman Lamb

Hi Stephen!

## **Re Meeting with Norman Lamb**

Please can you pass this email on to Norman because I do not actually have his email address.

Thank you so much to both of you for seeing us all yesterday. We were very impressed that Norman is very well briefed about this and he had a very good grasp of the issues. We all very much apprecitate his support.

As you will have gathered we have certainly had the run around from "the authorities" who have effectively created a "log jam" at present. The real tangible fear is that the GMC will "fluff things" and then the other public bodies will use that as an excuse to back off. I would be very grateful if between you and Norman you can let me have your thoughts post meeting on the way forward politically and then I will share these with the families.

After being blocked by so many official channels, Norman's support is particularly uplifting and refreshing as well as most welcome. Please accept our sincere thanks to both of you for your time and commitment. As you will have gathered the families are quite comfortable with the media and I am sure they will help you in any way they can.

Look forward to hearing from you in the next couple of days.

Best wishes

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