Thursday 19 September 2002

Operation Rochester

Telephone from Detective Chief Superintendent Steven Watts – Hampshire Police.

He mentioned that he was now the SIO. There had been a major development. The police do not know how but papers had been sent to the PHC Trust setting out details of various nurses concerns in 1991 regarding the medical personnel, the administration of drugs and seemingly deaths at the hospital.

The Trust have apparently appointed 2 senior officials to investigate.

Police are to make enquiries to find out the provenance of these papers and why, seemingly, they were not brought to the attention of the police during the original enquiry.

Copies of these papers and a police report will follow as soon as possible. The police believe that these papers must be considered in detail in the light of the other recent papers which they have collated.