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From: Renshaw Terry
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To: 'Kemp Lindsey'
Cc: **Code A** Smith Jenifer
Subject: Independent Review of SUI
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Thank you for your various messages regarding the above. I understand that **Code A** has forwarded you a copy of the draft role of the Independent Investigator which I hope will provide you with some clarification.

The SUI arose on the 2.12.04. The perpetrator having walked from his parents home 4 miles away in bare feet and dressed only in his dressing gown and underwear arrived at the victims flat in the early morning. On opening the door the perpetrator apparently made a frenzied attack on the victim with a knife. About 40 stab wounds were made fatally injuring the victim. After the assault it is believed that the perpetrator cut his throat with the same knife, killing himself. Both men were current long term users of the local mental health services.

The Hampshire Partnership Trust commissioned an internal review which was led by an independent chair – Andrew Newland.

It is this review we would like further independent scrutiny to determine if this incident needs to progress to a full independent inquiry. As well as the paper review it is suggested that the Independent Chair Andrew Newland would need to be interviewed plus any others that you felt necessary to complete your report. It is not envisaged that the interviews would be as numerous as those connected with the full Independent Inquiry.

A written report outlining your findings and recommendations would then need to be submitted to Dr Jenifer Smith.

I hope this clarifies things further for you.

Best wishes.

Terry Renshaw
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