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Dear Dr. Old

Re: DR JANE BARTON

Thank you for your letter of 28th March 2002. I have had the opportunity of discussing the position with Dr. Barton and she is content with the arrangement - that the restriction on her prescribing practise ceases, and that the restriction on medical care in relation to the Gosport War Memorial Hospital which you outline in your letter should remain in place for the time being, to await publication of the CHI Investigation Report.

In your letter you have suggested a monthly review on this remaining restriction which seems entirely sensible. I would be very grateful if you could clarify the identity of those with whom that review should now take place, and indeed who is now responsible for the restriction. It may of course be your good self, but I look forward to receiving clarification.

Yours sincerely

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