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Dear Dr Old

I am writing in confirmation of our telephone conversation of the 1<sup>st</sup> February following your letter of the 31<sup>st</sup> January concerning Dr Jane BARTON.

I can confirm that it will be in order to copy the papers I forwarded to you to your colleagues at the South East Regional office of the Department of Health. I would ask that you advise them of the terms in which the reports were disclosed to you.

I am also enclosing a further report in respect of Gladys RICHARDS, a patient who died at Gosport War Memorial Hospital on the 21<sup>st</sup> August 1998. This was the first report commissioned by the police and I have only just received a reply from the author in respect of disclosure to third parties. It is of course disclosed on the same basis as the others you have received.

In respect of specific referrals the following have been subject of correspondence to the regulatory body indicated.

Dr Jane BARTON - GMC  
 Dr Anthea Everista Geredith LORD – GMC  
 Margaret COUHCAMAN, RGN – UKCC  
 Christine JOICE, RGN – UKCC  
 Phillip James BEED, Ward Manager – UKCC



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I have copied the reports forwarded to you raising a general concern about the professional conduct of these individuals as disclosed in the commentary and conclusions of the reports.

I trust this clarifies the position.

Yours sincerely

J JAMES  
Detective Superintendent