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Subject: Gosport

John,

I hope you are well, apologies for not getting back to you sooner on these matters.

Main Gosport matter

I have an app to extend the costs grant to £81k. Can you confirm if that includes Mr Wilsons costs?

Mr Wilsons application

given that he was really part of the main Gosport matter I take the view that he can be covered by the initial grant but I need to know the position regarding costs as above.

Gillian Mackenzie

Given that the commission has agreed to fund the "Generic " issues and inquest (possibly to the tune of £81k) I do not see that this is a matter which should attract funding for representation given that it is the same Coroner as in the main action and many of the complex issues will be have been dealt with then. I am not convinced that the Coroner cannot properly investigate the matter and reach the appropriate verdict without representation. Before I make a final decision can you let me know the current position.

I am on a course Mon to Weds next week but will be back in on Thursday and will pick this up then.

In any event I will try to get payment to you in July.

John
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