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9th September 2005

Mr Clark
Porchester Crematorium
Upper Cornaway Lane
Porchester
Hants

Dear Mr. Clark

I am writing to you to confirm that Hampshire Constabulary is currently investigating a number of suspicious deaths which occurred between 1988 and 2000 at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital. The investigation is known as Operation Rochester and is currently headed by Detective Superintendent WILLIAMS.

During the gathering and dissemination of evidence it has become apparent that there may be information valuable to this investigation, contained on the cremation certificates of the deceased.

Having been satisfied by my officers that this is the case I am authorising the release of the following original cremation certificates that are in your possession.

CUNNINGHAM Arthur Dennis Brian

141578 ✓ *Already taken FOR ME* Code A
6/10/05

LAKE Ruby Josephine Dorothea

141187 ✓ } *RECEIVED 6/10/05*

PITTOCK Leslie Charles

130099 ✓ } Code A **Code A**

SERVICE Helena Frances

136118

Thanking you for your assistance in these sensitive matters and assuring you of our continued professional standards in dealing with this investigation.

Yours sincerely

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