

Bob Button

From: Bob Button [Code A]
Sent: 23 September 2002 08:49
To: JBarton [Code A]
Cc: warner jim; mckenning [Code A] stephen
Subject: RE: GMC IOC Hearing

Simon Tanner can write what notes he wishes. I certainly have not approved them as accurate!

He has no right to prevent you returning to work if your GP and the LMC agree. He could be so ill advised as to think that he could suspend you under the regulations but he would be told by me that he would be appealed and the press would be informed and that the BMA might want this to be the test case they are looking for to take to the European Court.

That is apart from the local reaction in Gosport, which I believe would be strong. It would be an ill advised move.

Keep me in touch
Bob

-----Original Message-----

From: JBarton [Code A] [mailto:[Code A]]
Sent: 20 September 2002 16:50
To: [Code A]
Subject: Re: GMC IOC Hearing

Dear Bob the plot thickens. I have a letter from Simon Tanner, undated, discussing the facts brought up at our meeting last Friday but also stressing that there must be a further meeting before I go back to work. I have replied stating that I intend to return on 30th September. In the meantime I have received a warning about a whistle blower who has gone to the Press and caused the SHA to release a press statement at 11am today. In addition or possible quite separately Tony Horne and Ian Piper have been stood down pending further investigations. What is happening. Cheers Jane Barton

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From: Bob Button [Code A]
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To: JBarton [Code A]
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Jane I am so pleased.
It proves that there is some justice in the world.
I would suggest that you see your GP about the exact day to return to work - it does not have to be on a Monday.
Please keep me in touch with any contact you might have from anyone in the HA especially Simon Tanner.
Kindest regards
Bob

-----Original Message-----

From: JBarton [Code A]
Sent: 19 September 2002 17:49
To: [Code A]
Subject: GMC IOC Hearing

Bob I have just got back from the above and it was found there was no cause to suspend me, again. I intend to go back to work at the end of my sick certification and would greatly value your help if there is a further attempt to prevent me from practising. I was also very grateful for your presence and invaluable help last Friday. Many thanks and Good Wishes Jane Barton