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09 December 1999

By fax and dx: 0207 412 1523

Office of the Solicitor  
Department of Social Security  
Department of Health  
DX LDE 276  
London



Dear Sir

**Hepatitis Litigation**

We refer to your letter of 8<sup>th</sup> December 1999 and the telephone conversation of today between the writer and Mrs James.

We are happy to extend the date for disclosure to **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2000**.

We note the position with regard to the documents referred to at paragraph (1) (c) of the draft Application Notice.

As mentioned to Mrs James in the telephone conversation we think it better, for the protection of both sides, that the matter is dealt with by way of a Consent Order and we enclose a draft (two by dx) from which you will note we are content to give an express undertaking as to the use of the documents. We also enclose a copy of the Application Notice in the form that it is intended to issue.

*Yours faithfully,*

GRO-C

**Anthony Mallen**

Enc.



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