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Vijay,

It is worth talking to Professor Preston, Sheffield, as he told me at the meeting with Matt Kelly QC how he was intimidated whilst in the US to release a paper linking hepatitis C (NANB) to factor concentrates. He was visited at his hotel by reps from a plasma company and was so frightened he changed hotels and left as soon as he could. Prof Preston then asked then me had I read "The Constant Gardener" and warned me to be careful when speaking out about the US companies. I have had one attempt to bribe me but I told the person to F... off.

Carol

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