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Jason McCartney MP
C/o APPG on Haemophilia
House of Commons
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Dear Mr McCartney,

I enclose a copy of a recent letter to Martin Harvey at the Macfarlane Trust.

There is currently widespread dismay at the mass mailout by Russell Mishcon (a Trustee) which gives details of home visits in order to determine “charitable need” and whether or not to disperse the Trust’s reserves. Many people feel this is too intrusive and we feel strongly that the way the mailout is worded is too coercive and effectively amounts to an ultimatum.

The current feeling among the primary beneficiaries on the various forums is that the reserves should be divided up and dispersed equally – without intrusive home visits.

I hope that you will be able to get the measure of the discontent out there and what the HIV infected haemophiliacs are still having to put up with.

Yours faithfully,

Andrew March

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