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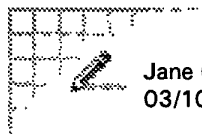
Charles, Jane,

We must tactfully resist issues which might be bilateral, unless as I suspect in this case, the issue and Scotland's decision on the petition to compensate will clearly have UK-wide ramifications?

ICB will be commissioning briefings for JMC(Health) today and so we'll play you in.

Sammy, as the agenda develops in response to the replies from JMC(H) members, we will need to bear in mind whether to advise SofS to consider offering the Devolved Health Ministers, the opportunity to hold separate discussions with other DH Ministers on the same day (and diaries permitting) on particular bilateral or three-way issues. That may help prevent overloading JMC(Health) agenda. Let's wait and see how things go by friday.

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Jane Colman



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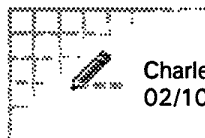
Charles

SofS will be chairing the joint ministerial meeting.

Sammy and Amy to note this issue which Susan Deacon wants to raise. Briefing to follow on 12th Oct.

Jane

Charles Lister



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Jane

You may wish to show Mr Hutton the attached Scottish Parliament press release. I understand from Scottish officials that Susan Deacon wishes to raise the issue at the Joint Ministerial meeting on 22 October. We will aim to provide Ministers with options for a care package for NHS patients who contracted hepatitis C (as requested by MS(H)) by Friday 12 October.

Do you know which Minister will be attending the meeting on 22 October?

Charles



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