

To See - S of S has commented on
this. I'd like passed this back
to officials as Counsel needed
guidance.

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HIV LITIGATION - PRELIMINARY ISSUES

1. S of S has seen Mr Wilson's submission of 23 November. His view is that Counsel should argue all three points listed at paragraph 7 of the submission. This includes the duty of care argument in respect of S of S's responsibilities and NHS legislation. S of S has commented that it would have wide implications for Government if the Government itself, as well as the Health Authority, is found to owe a duty of care to an individual patient.

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