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Pharmaceuticals Ltd.

TO : L. Lucas

DATE: 20th January 1986.

FROM : C.R. Bishop

REF: CRB/BAK

SUBJECT : NON A NON B HEPATITIS - CLEAN VIRGIN PATIENTS WITH ARMOUR FACTORATE IP/HT

COPIES TO :

A. Appard  
J.D. Michelmores  
B.B. Christie  
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Dear Lofty,

For your information, I enclose a copy of a letter from Bob Christie to Dr. Green at St. Mary's Hospital, Portsmouth, and copies of correspondence with Dr. Kernoff, from which you will see that we have had a further three reports of hitherto clean virgin patients treated with our heat treated product, all of whom who have succumbed to NANB Hepatitis.

Although the evidence is not totally conclusive, it is pretty strong against the Armour product and the last paragraph of Peter Kernoff's letter is indicative of the problems which we are now facing.

If Peter's two patients had been clean and remained clean he would have, I am sure, reverted to the Armour product, as it is he will continue with the Alpha to our total exclusion.

The plea once again, therefore, is a revision of our heat treating process and/or evidence of just one clean virgin patient treated with Armour's heat treated product surviving NANB contamination.

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C.R. Bishop.

P.S. Perhaps this could be discussed again at the next PEC Meeting.

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