

AIDS LEAFLET

Lord Glenarthur has seen your submission of 29 July.

(i) He approves the text of the leaflet and statement.

(ii) He has asked if we have a publication date in view;

(iii) He has asked whether he or MS(H) should deal with any TV/radio interest;

(iv) He favours using both methods of distribution and feels that the risk of embarrassment to potential donors is outweighed by the need to achieve wide distribution.

2. He has added:

"We may be at the tip of an iceberg with AIDS and find ourselves in trouble in 18 months' time unless we are really positive in our approach - even if it does embarrass a few 'gay' people."

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3 August 1983

cc Mr Alcock - sub paragraph (iii) - ie which of them? Mrs Walden Mr Doran Mr Nodder o/r Dr Harris Mr Cashman Mrs Hewlett-Davies Dr Oliver Dr Watford Miss Edwards