

Witness Name: Nicholas Sainsbury

Statement No: WITN1800001

Exhibits: WITN1800002

Dated: February 2019

## **INFECTED BLOOD INQUIRY**

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**Exhibit WITN1800002**

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Mr Nicholas Sainsbury

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Dear Mr Sainsbury

Following on from your last formal review in the Haematology Clinic you asked for information about the dates of which you were found to be infected with Hepatitis B, C and HIV and the date on which you were told of these infections.

I accessed all your old medical records and reviewed the information in them. For Hepatitis B, the first positive test result is dated 27 July 1990. I can find no documentation in case notes stating whether or not you were informed of this result.

For Hepatitis C, the date of the first positive test is 13 July 1990 and in the medical notes this is first commented on the 21 September 1993. Again there is nothing to determine whether or not you were informed of this test result around or earlier.

For HIV the date of the first positive test result is 17 August 1989. There is an earlier test for HTLV-3 which is an historic name for HIV. There was a positive test result for

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HTLV-3 on the 2 July 1986. There was a comment in the records about this test being positive on the 30 December 1985.<sup>?</sup> Similar to the above two tests there is no clear documentation as to what dates you were formally informed of these test results.

I hope that this is helpful and I would be happy to discuss this further when we next see you in clinic.

Yours sincerely

**GRO-C**

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