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6th March, 1985.

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In my capacity as Consultant Haematologist to the Regional Blood Transfusion Service I have been asked to reply to a letter that you sent to the North West Regional Health Authority on January 17th 1985.

It is true that Haemophilia A patients in this Region will only receive Heat-Treated Factor VIII concentrates from this time onwards.

In replying to your second question, you can be sure that the Heat-Treated Factor VIII that you will be issued with for your home treatment will be free of the risk of conveying the HTLV3 (AIDS associated) virus.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. R.T. Wensley, Consultant Haematologist.

Copy to Dr. Gunson x 2

copy to Ms. S. Ellis - N.W.R.H.A. plus copy of our memo to Dr. Wensley 30.1.85.