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Mrs M Murphy

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Dear Mrs Murphy

I was much saddened when I heard of your husband's death, particularly when I heard of the distressing circumstances which surrounded it.

I am glad that we were finally able to discuss this face to face, although I am sure you would agree that it would have been much better had we been able to talk some weeks ago, when I know that both Alison and Linda Smith told you that I wished to talk to you.

I know that I should have written at the time, and can only apologise for that, but I knew that both Alison and Linda Smith were visiting you, and since I had asked both of them to arrange a meeting, I was a little saddened when you did not take up the offer.

You clearly have many unresolved questions in your mind in relation to Bill's illness and his management. I doubt that we were able to deal with all of those fully during the chat we had in Coventry. I would be only too happy to discuss things further either with you or with your son, either here or in Manchester. I realise it would be far more convenient for you to see me here, but bear in mind that I leave at the end of the month. Should you wish to see me, please give Tracy a ring on GRO-c o make an appointment.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely

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