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Attached are:-

- M(H)'s note of 1 May to PS(H)
- Roger Scofield's subsequent letter to Carolyn Fairbairn (sent yesterday, 9/5).

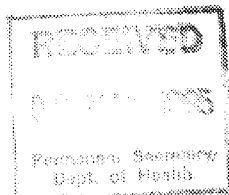
From: Alastair Thomas
APS/SofS

Date: 5 May 1995

Copy: Andy Hollebon
Liz Woodeson
Richard Marsh
Ben Dyson
Roger Scofield

Mr Scofield
is available for
a word this
afternoon if
there is time

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3/f 6/6

meeting
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1. SofS has seen M(H) note of 1 May to PS(H).
2. She has commented that there will always be new examples where no fault compensation becomes an issue and believes that we must hold a consistent line. Other areas where comparison may already be drawn include thalidomide and haemophiliacs with HIV/AIDS. SofS is concerned that growth hormone may bring a similar campaign.
3. SofS has asked that:
 - we establish the views of the territorials, and;
 - the senior official talk Carolyn Fairbairn from No 10 through the issues.
4. Can I, by way of this minute, ask Mr Scofield to initiate action as necessary.

Alastair Thomas
407 RH

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Please find out what the
current position is

- Did M(H) have a meeting after

Ester? - No.

- Have we seen X

- attached (not
originally agreed to
in)

- Perhaps I had better have a word with

Scofield quickly.

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