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SUMMARY

RE: Mark Antony STEWART - D.O.B GRO-C 1968 GRO-C

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HEPATITIS C TESTING

On the 1st of June 1992 the patient was seen by a Registrar, Paul Telfer while he was visiting his father. He was discussed about hepatitis C testing and the patient agreed to be tested, so virology was sent and the results from that testing, which was dated 2nd of June 1992 showed that hepatitis C antibodies by EIA was positive, hepatitis C antibodies by RIBA was indeterminate result. A second antibody testing was done on the 25th of November 1994 where hepatitis C antibodies by EIA was positive and the hepatitis C antibodies by RIBA was reactive. He had an in house HCV PCR done in the early 1990s by Paul Telfer and Helen Deveril and at that time the HCVB RNA status was negative and this result is filed in the notes. His first exposure to concentrate was 5th of December 1981. He had a 3rd HCV antibody testing done on the 21st of November 2002 where the hepatitis C antibody was positive and HCV RIBA assay was also positive and the HCV RNA done on the 25th of November 2002 RNA was not

As part of a study of natural clearer Mark Stewart stored samples one from the 2nd of June 1992 and the other from 25th of November 1994 were tested in October 1998. Those two samples were HCV PCR negative as well.

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