Witness Name: Kathleen Stewart Statement No.: WITN1002001 Exhibits: WITN1002002 – 046 Dated: 27 September 2019

## **INFECTED BLOOD INQUIRY**

## **EXHIBIT WITN1002027**

## Royal Free Hampstead NHS Trust

**GRO-C** 

GRO-C

· Roval Free Hospital Pond Street, London NW3 2QG

Tel 020 7794 0500

Fax 020 7830 2020

HAEMOPHILIA CENTRE & HAEMOSTÁSIS UNIT

Professor Christine A Lee MA MD DSc(Med) FRCP FRCPath Dr David J Perry MD PhD FRCP FRCPath

Dr Simon A Brown MB MRCP MRCPath Associate Specialist: Dr Thynn Thynn Yee MBBS MSc MRCI

Our ref: TTY/KLR/213147

25 July 2002

Dr M A Malik Caversham Group Practice 4 Peckwater Street London' **NW5 2UP** 

Dear Dr Malik

Angus STEWART dob GRO-C1938

London

This 64-year-old gentleman with von Willebrand's disease and chronic infection with hepatitis C was admitted on the 19th July with pain over his right hypochondrial region. On examination the liver was hugely enlarged and nodular and very tender. An alphafetoprotein done at that time showed that it was very raised at 93,913 kU/L, the normal limits being less than 1.1.3. An MRI scan of his liver also shows that he has diffuse right lobe hepatocellular carcinoma with portal vein invasion.

This patient has cirrhosis due to chronic hepatitis C infection as well as drinking alcohol quite heavily for several years. He was last seen in the Liver Clinic in February of this year when a lipiodal angiogram did not show any evidence of increased uptake in his liver. There has been rapid progression of his hepatocellular carcinoma within the past few months as you can see. Currently, as his haemoglobin is low we are giving him some blood transfusions and a chest x-ray will be done to rule out any pulmonary metastases. We have also liased with the Palliative Medical team for care of this patient who is in the terminal phase of his underlying hepatocellular carcinoma.

Yours sincerely

**GRO-C** 

Dr. Thynn Thynn Yee. Associate Specialist in Haemophilia



Royal Free Hampstead NHS Trust Royal Free Hospital, Pond Street, London NW3 2QG Tel 020 7794 0500 Fax 020 7830:2461 INTERNATIONAL TRAINING CENTRE OF THE WORLD FEDERATION OF HAEMOPHILIA