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### **SOS MEETING WITH THE HAEMOPHILIA SOCIETY**

Many thanks for providing the briefing for this meeting and supporting Secretary of State during it. A short note of what was discussed is attached.

In the discussion after the meeting with Secretary of State you agreed that you would provide him with a note setting out :

the likely cost of making provision for haemophilia children (under the age of 15) to be treated with Recombinant Factor VIII; and

a submission on the broader considerations surrounding both the compensation and Factor VIII issues including a draft reply for SoS to send to the Haemophilia Society.

Timing wise, we agreed that we would try to get the letter to the Society out by the end of September. It would be helpful if we could have this by 24 September but do let me know if this looks tricky.

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