

Witness Name: Gillian Fyffe
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INFECTED BLOOD INQUIRY

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Dear Sirs,

APPEAL BY THE COMMON SERVICES AGENCY FOR THE SCOTTISH HEALTH SERVICE DECISION 119/2007 - GILLIAN FYFFE

I refer to the decision of the Scottish Information Commissioner No. 119/2007 and confirm that the Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service has now agreed to disclose the undernoted information in response to your request for information, dated 13th April, 2006:

1. Have any patients who received blood transfusions intimated compensation claims against the Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service?

Response: Yes - the claims have been intimated against the Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service as being statutorily responsible for the Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service.

2. How many of these claims have been settled?

Response: 14.

3. What amount of compensation was paid to each claimant whose case was settled?

Response: £90,000, £11,000, £5,000 (interim), £105,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000, £15,000, £15,000, £9,000, £18,000, £5,000, £12,000 and £10,000 (all exclusive of adverse expenses).

4. How many cases remain outstanding?

Response: 28.

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5. How many of these relate to individuals who contracted Hepatitis C?

Response: 26.

6. How many of these claims intimated by patients suffering from Hepatitis C remain outstanding?

Response: 26.

Yours faithfully,

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Mr. R.F. Macdonald
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cc. **Messrs. Brodies, Solicitors for the Scottish Information Commissioner**