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Dear Louis

Thank you for the case conference which was most helpful.

Further to our conversation regarding disclosure to the Coroner regarding the current review being undertaken at the Countess, please see email below.

I attach for your information our letter of instruction regarding the continuation of the review. I have not sent a copy to the Coroner but rather explained it in the email below.

I have copied Ravi into the email for his information.

Kind regards
Stephen

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Dear Mr Rheinberg

You will recall that in your absence I advised your deputy that the Countess was undertaking a review of Neonatal deaths by the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health which was undertaken at the beginning of September and the Trust is awaiting their report.

The review team have indicated that they were entirely satisfied with the care within the neonatal unit and raised no concerns however, they recommended that a detailed forensic case note review of each of the deaths from July 2015 should be undertaken, so consequently this is still work in progress.

I have instructed Louis Browne of Counsel in this matter and he is fully aware of the review and Dr Ravi Jayaram as the lead Consultant is also fully aware of this matter. He is called to give evidence at this inquest and will be able to answer any questions regarding the review.

Kind regards
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