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From: Alice Perkins [GRO]
on behalf of Alice Perkins [GRO]
Sent: 19/09/2012 06:49:24
To: Alwen Lyons [GRO]; Paula Vennells [GRO]
CC: Jorja Preston [GRO]; Theresa Iles [GRO]
Subject: Re: James Arbuthnot

Thank you both. I can give you a bit more colour when I see you.
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From: Alwen Lyons [GRO]
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2012 07:31 AM
To: Paula Vennells [GRO]; Alice Perkins [GRO]
Cc: Jorja Preston [GRO]; Theresa Iles [GRO]
Subject: Re: James Arbuthnot

I'll talk to Theresa and make sure I'm there
Thanks Alwen

Sent from Blackberry

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From: Paula Vennells
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2012 08:22 AM
To: Alice Perkins [GRO]
Cc: Alwen Lyons; Jorja Preston; Theresa Iles
Subject: Re: James Arbuthnot

Alice, thank you. It's good that you know James - I'm sure it helps.

Happy to do this. Theresa will liaise with Janet.
Alwen, it probably makes sense for you to come along for continuity but if you're not available then Martin could take over. Let me know.

Paula

Sent from my iPhone

On 18 Sep 2012, at 13:54, "Alice Perkins" [GRO] wrote:

> Just had a very warm and straightforward meeting. He wanted to know about progress. I explained as per the brief.
> We talked about the JFSA issue, our desire to engage with them and our disappointment that we have still had no cases from them.
> JA helpfully volunteered that he couldn't see how we could give them total immunity tho' he hoped we could go some way towards them.
> I explained that we needed to limit the no of cases we investigated - we could not open up the enquiry to an uncapped number. He sees that completely.
> We both agreed that it would be so much better if we could work with the JFSA. This led to the idea that we might suggest a 3 way meeting with JA, PO (Paula with or without me) and Mr Bates, to discuss the issues rather than trying to resolve them through further correspondence.
> JA would like to do this before the Conservative Party Conference (starts second week October).
> I think it's worth doing everything we sensibly can to pin them down or to get to a position where it is clear that they are playing games. If you'd like to talk about this, do let me know. Otherwise, perhaps we could let Janet know when we could be available for such a meeting?
> Alice
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