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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

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Dear Sir/Madam,

re: Susan RUDKIN, d.o.b. [GRO]
[GRO]

I can confirm that currently I have been looking after Mrs. Rudkin's mental health.

In September 2008 she became acutely depressed following an incident through work. At

[GRO D]
[GRO D] However, by December 2008 I felt the need to change her medication to a much stronger [GRO D]

Unfortunately she came in to see me again at the end of January, 2009, very very stressed, very very low and now indeed talking about suicide.

I therefore prescribed her [GRO D] and [GRO D] for acute anxiety and stress. [GRO D]
[GRO D]

I can therefore confirm that at present, Mrs. Rudkin is in no mental state to be interviewed under caution by Post Office investigators, and/or by the Police. At present, such an event in her near-suicidal state could tip her over the edge.

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As to when she would become fit to be interviewed under caution, I cannot say at present.

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Therefore it is impossible to say how long it will take for her mental state to stabilise, let alone improve, but definitely I wouldn't foresee her being able to be interviewed under caution for at least three, to even six months.

I trust this can be of help, but if you need any more information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

GRO

DR. A. T. PEDEN