1		Manday, 49 December 2022
1 2	(10	Monday, 18 December 2023
2	•	45 am) BEER: Good morning, sir, can you see and hear
4	WIIX	us?
5	SIR	WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, I can, thank you and can
6		l apologise for keeping everybody waiting.
7	MR	BEER: Thank you, sir.
8		May I call Duncan Atkinson KC, please.
9	SIR	WYN WILLIAMS: Yes.
10		RICHARD DUNCAN ATKINSON KC (sworn)
11		Questioned by MR BEER
12	MR	BEER: Good morning, again, Mr Atkinson. As you
13		know, my name is Jason Beer and I ask questions
14		on behalf of the Inquiry. Can you remind us of
15		your full name, please?
16	Α.	Yes, Richard Duncan Atkinson.
17	Q.	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
18		Inquiry on a second occasion. Since you last
19		gave evidence on 5 and 6 October this year,
20		you've provided two reports to the Inquiry
21		described as your Volumes 2 and 2A. Yes.
22 23	A. Q.	
23 24	ω.	EXPG000004R. This is a 243-page report,
24		excluding its appendices, revised recently to
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1	Α.	That's right.
2	Q.	Then, secondly, Volume 2A, EXPG0000005. That's
3		a 28-page report, again excluding the
4		appendices, addressing two case studies, that of
5		Janet Skinner and Julian Wilson. Does the same
6		expert witness declaration apply to that report?
7	Α.	Yes, it does.
8	Q.	Are the contents of that report true to the best
9		of your knowledge and belief?
10	Α.	Yes, they are.
11	Q.	Thank you very much.
12		In terms of your background and experience,
13		has that changed in any material respect since
14		we last saw you at the beginning of October?
15 16	A.	No. By way of recap, in Volumes 1 and 1A of your
16 17	Q.	
18		earlier reports, and in your evidence on 5 and 6 October 2023, you considered, is this right,
10 19		the legal and policy framework for the
20		investigation and prosecution by the Post Office
20		of criminal offences and, more broadly, the
21		framework relating to the responsibilities of
23		prosecuting authorities, investigating
24		authorities, in making in particular charging
25		decisions and disclosure?
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1		take into account a small number of additional
2		documents provided to you by the Inquiry. Are
3		the contents of that report true to the best of
4		your knowledge and belief?
5	Α.	Yes.
6	Q.	Have you included in that report it needn't
7		come up now, it's appendix A2 at page 243,
8		an expert witness's declaration?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	Does that set out your understanding of your
11		duties in writing the report and in giving
12		evidence?
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	Does it set out whether you have any conflict of
15	•	interest of any kind?
16	A.	Yes.
17 18	Q.	Does it set out your understanding of your instructions?
19	Α.	Yes.
20	Q.	Does it set out whether the matters about which
20	ч.	you've expressed opinions are within your field
22		of expertise?
23	Α.	Yes.
24	Q.	That report, I think, addresses 20 case studies;
25		is that right?
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1	А.	2 Yes.
1 2	A. Q.	
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2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	Q. A.	Yes. The task you've undertaken for us now, leading to your Volumes 2 and 2A reports, concerns the extent to which, is this right, the legal and policy framework that you previously described was or was not complied with in the cases of the 22 case studies that we're looking at? Yes, in so far as that was possible to identify that from the material that I had. I'm going to come on in a moment to the limitations of the material that you have been provided with. Is this right, that, in terms of
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2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	Q. A. Q.	Yes. The task you've undertaken for us now, leading to your Volumes 2 and 2A reports, concerns the extent to which, is this right, the legal and policy framework that you previously described was or was not complied with in the cases of the 22 case studies that we're looking at? Yes, in so far as that was possible to identify that from the material that I had. I'm going to come on in a moment to the limitations of the material that you have been provided with. Is this right, that, in terms of a sort menu of issues, you focused on, firstly, investigations. Was that principally on the duties of an Investigator to pursue reasonable lines of inquiry? Yes. Secondly, in relation to the Horizon system specifically, the application of that duty where a suspect either does not assert a problem with Horizon, either in their interview, in a defence

- 25 **A.** Yes.
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1	Q.	Secondly, did you look at prosecutions and was
2		that split into charging decisions
3	Α.	Yes.
4	Q.	and, in particular, the test that
5		a prosecutor seemingly applied when making
6		a charging decision?
7	Α.	Yes.
8	Q.	The evidence that the prosecutor seemingly
9		considered when making such a charging decision?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	The extent to which such charging decisions
12		appeared to be thorough and diligent agent
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	or conscientious.
15		Then lastly, the approach taken to charging
16		theft and false accounting, in particular as
17		alternatives?
18	Α.	Yes.
19	Q.	Did you look at, under the heading of
20		prosecution, issues concerning the commencement
21		of proceedings?
22	Α.	Yes, although in terms of summonses and what lay
23		behind the summons, I don't think I saw anything
24		that helped me on that topic.
25	Q.	No, that material was particularly lacking
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1	А.	Yes.
1 2	A. Q.	
		Yes.
2		Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the
2 3	Q.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence?
2 3 4	Q. A.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes.
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2 3 4 5 6	Q. A.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes. You tell us in paragraph 6 of your report, in terms of the material available, that it varied
2 3 4 5 6 7	Q. A. Q.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes. You tell us in paragraph 6 of your report, in terms of the material available, that it varied considerably as between cases; is that right?
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2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Q. A. Q. A. Q.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes. You tell us in paragraph 6 of your report, in terms of the material available, that it varied considerably as between cases; is that right? Yes. In some cases, it was extensive; is that right?
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2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 77	Q. A. Q. A. Q. A. Q. Q.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes. You tell us in paragraph 6 of your report, in terms of the material available, that it varied considerably as between cases; is that right? Yes. In some cases, it was extensive; is that right? Yes. In others, the material was very sparse indeed Very much so. with no material relating to some of the topics that I've just described?
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2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	Q. A. Q. A. Q. A. Q. A. Q. A.	Yes. Did you look, lastly, at the reliance by the Post Office on expert evidence? Yes. You tell us in paragraph 6 of your report, in terms of the material available, that it varied considerably as between cases; is that right? Yes. In some cases, it was extensive; is that right? Yes. In others, the material was very sparse indeed Very much so. with no material relating to some of the topics that I've just described? That's right. Where that is the case I think you tell us so in your expert reports? Yes, I hope so. I think you've been provided with a document
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25 Q. You have been instructed, is this right, that

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- 1 A. Yes.
- 2 **Q.** -- how proceedings were commenced and what
 - material was lodged with the Magistrates
- 4 Court --
- 5 A. Absolutely.
- 6 Q. -- in order to commence process.
- 7 A. Yes.

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- 8 Q. Did you look at the approach taken to
- 9 disclosure --
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. -- and, in particular, whether there was
- 12 an identified Disclosure Officer and whether
 - that was also the Investigating Officer?
- 14 A. Yes.

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- 15 Q. The extent to which prosecutors reviewed the
- disclosure given, whether in the unused scheduleof material or otherwise?
- 18 A. Well, the extent to which I could see that they19 had reviewed it.
- 20 Q. And the extent of any duties of cross-disclosure
- 21 between prosecutions?

bargaining?

22 **A.** Yes.

- 23 Q. Did you look at, lastly, prosecutorial practice
- 24 and, in particular, the practice of plea
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1		the "Gareth Jenkins Chronology" is not being
2		treated by the Inquiry as evidence
3	Α.	That's right.
4	Q.	or as a source of evidence, and you have not
5		done so either; is that right?
6	Α.	I took notes where it referred to
7		a communication to the existence of that
8		communication, particularly if I hadn't seen it
9		before. In the wealth of material that I've
10		received in the last week, I have now seen a lot
11		of the communications that were referred to but
12		that was the extent to which I took note of that
13		document.
14	Q.	Thank you. In particular, in your report, you
15		were careful to state, is this right, when the
16		underlying material should be consulted
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	in order to see whether what is suggested in
19		the chronology is accurate or inaccurate?
20	Α.	Yes, and I did not proceed on the basis that it
21		was a complete record of all communication or
22		assume anything of that sort.
23	Q.	Thank you very much. Are you able to confirm,
24		in terms of your methodology and approach, that
25		you've not been asked to look at either the

1		witness statements or the oral evidence of any
2		of the witnesses who have given evidence in
3		Phase 4 of the Inquiry?
4	Α.	No, that's right.
5	Q.	Instead, you have been asked to, and you have
6		yourself, confined yourself to looking at the
7		documents, the contemporaneous documents with
8		which you have been provided?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	Is it right that the majority of those documents
11		relate to the investigations and prosecutions of
12		each of the case studies, ie they're
13		contemporaneous to the events to which they
14		relate?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	You say in paragraph 32 of your report that in
17		considering the actions and decisions of Post
18		Office Investigators and Post Office lawyers,
19		the question that you have asked yourself is
20		whether the actions and decisions were
21		reasonably open to the decision maker on the
22		material then available?
23	Α.	Yes.
24	Q.	Is that right?
25	Α.	Absolutely.
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- had been made by the postmaster in question. 2 3 That material, which had not been sought at the
- 4 time of the investigation, so far as I could see
- 5 from the contemporaneous documentation, but the
- 6 fact that at the Second Sight stage they were
- 7 able to look at it showed that it existed and,
- 8 again, therefore, it existed at the time that it
- 9 was not sought during the investigation.
- 10 Q. So it's subsequent materials that reflect back
- to either the existence of documents or a state 11
- 12 of affairs, contemporaneous to the matters that 13 you're looking at?
- 14 A. Yes, and I should add, in relation to the Court 15 of Appeal, I have taken account of the
- 16 assessment of the Court of Appeal of their view
- 17 of what should or should not have been disclosed
- 18 because it seemed to me that they're a fairly
- 19 safe body to take into account in that, given
- 20 that they are the Court of Appeal.
- 21 But I have, nevertheless, come to my own
- 22 assessment of what I consider the
- 23 contemporaneous documentation shows was or was
- 24 not done and what should or should not have been
- done but it's a comfort to know that they and 25

1	Q.	On occasions in your report you refer to
2		documents arising subsequently to those events,
3		either to the investigation or indeed after
4		conviction, for example accounts given by people
5		to the Second Sight investigation
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	or in civil proceedings or what the Court of
8		Appeal Criminal Division said in the Hamilton
9		appeals?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	Do you consider that in referring to such
12		material, Second Sight, civil proceedings and,
13		for example, concessions made by the Post Office
14		in the <i>Hamilton</i> appeals, you are at risk of
15		judging matters with hindsight?
16	Α.	No. To take an example, where, in the Court of
17		Appeal, the Post Office conceded that they had
18		not obtained ARQ data in a particular case,
19		I took that as a basis to conclude that they had
20		not sought the ARQ data in that case. That was
21		something that, therefore, they had not done at
22		the time and I took it as evidence of what had
23		or had not been done at the time.
24		In the same way, in the Second Sight
25		reviews, in some cases they were able there to 10
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1		I are of the same view.
2	Q.	At various points in your report you recognise
3		that your ability properly to assess what
4		happened at the time is limited by the fact that
5		there are only limited papers available to you?

- 6 Α. Yes.
- 7 Q. Do you consider that care should be taken in 8 relation to your conclusions in general terms, 9 in that they may be based on incomplete information or incorrect assumptions? 10
- A. They may, particularly in the older of the 11 12 cases, be based on incomplete material. I've
- 13 made that clear in those cases. My conclusions,
- 14 certainly by the time one reaches the end of my
- 15 report, are based on a consideration of the
- 16 cases across the piece and, clearly, there is
- 17 the possibility that, in the cases where there
- 18 isn't the material, for example, on disclosure,
- 19 that that was a completely different disclosure
- 20 position than in the ones where I have seen the
- 21 material in relation to disclosure.
- 22 But it was all of the same kind, in the
- 23 cases where I saw it, and it didn't seem to me
- 24 unreasonable to draw conclusions based on what
- 25 I had seen on that basis.

1	Q.	Thank you. In reaching your conclusions, did
2		you measure the conduct of the Post Office
3		Investigators and the Post Office lawyers
4		against the standards that you would have
5		generally expected to exist at the time in
6		practice or against what the law required under
7		codes, rules and guidance?
8	Α.	
9		examined when last I was here, those codes and
10		rules had been accepted by the Post Office at
11		the time to apply to them and their
12 13		investigations and their charging decisions and
13		so on. But, clearly, having been in practice
14		myself through that period, I have an awareness
16		of how such cases were dealt with by, in particular, the police and the CPS, and so that
17		will have also informed by view.
18		But I tried, insofar as I could, to judge
19		what was done by reference to what the law
20		required and what the codes under the law
20		required.
22	Q.	Is that on the basis that it's not unreasonable
23		to expect a prosecutor to comply with the law?
24	Α.	Absolutely.
25	Q.	In terms of the approach that I'm going to take,
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1		for it to come up on the screen. Page 218.
2		lf we can start at paragraph 620, please.
3		You say in the second line:
4		"At this stage, I seek to draw the strands
5		together of that analysis [ie the analysis of
6		the then 20 case studies] by topic. I should
7		emphasise, however, that these broader
8		conclusions are to be properly understood by
9		reference to the case-by-case analysis I have
10		set out above. Each case is individual, in that
11		each involved an individual who gave an account
12		to address an audit shortfall, and whose case
13		was then investigated and reviewed for
14		prosecution at different times by different
15		investigators and lawyers and by reference to
16		different evidence."
17		Then you say this:
18		"That said, a number of themes emerge clear
19		and strong across the 20 cases. Indeed, in
20		a number of respects it is unsettling how the
21		same issues were arising in the latter cases,
22		such as Sefton and Nield and Ishaq in 2012, as
23		have raised their heads in early cases, such as
24		Brennan and Yates in 2003."
25		You use the word "unsettling" there. What 15

1		I'm going to start at the end, as it were, ie by
2		examining the issues, topic by topic, one after
3		the other, rather than case study by case study,
4		and then drawing conclusions from that
5		examination of the case studies?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	So I'm going to ask you to express your overall
8		conclusions in relation to each topic, explore
9		the reasons for those conclusions, and then
10		involve you in some illustrative dipping into
11		the materials to see whether we can exemplify
12		some of the points that you make by reference to
13		the contemporaneous materials?
14	Α.	Yes.
15	Q.	That will take all of today and some of
16		tomorrow. Then tomorrow, or what time is left
17		of tomorrow, I am going to take you through so
18		many of the case studies, the 22 case studies,
19		time will allow; do you understand?
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	Thank you. Can we start, please, at page 218 of
22		your report, please
23	Α.	Yes.
24	Q.	if that can be displayed. This the Volume 2
25		report, EXPG000004R. If we just wait a moment 14
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1	_	l looked at.
2	Q.	Thank you. Can we start, then, with the topic
3		of investigation I'm not going to take them
4		in precisely the same order as you have, I have
5		rejigged them slightly but, in fact, we do start
6		with investigation and look at paragraph 621,
7		if we just scroll down, please.
8 9		Is a summary of what you found in relation to investigation the following: firstly, you
9 10		found no document which identified which
11		personnel were undertaking the role of
12		Investigator and which personnel were
13		undertaking the role of Disclosure Officer?
14	Α.	No, and, as I say in the report, that may on one
15	7.1	level have just been a recording problem that
16		one had to try and work out who was carrying out
17		these vital roles under the CPIA, rather than
18		finding anywhere where it said so. But the
19		concern I had that flowed on from that was,
20		where it wasn't identified, it was more
21		difficult to know what they appreciated as to
22		their role and who was supervising them in doing
23		it.
24	Q.	That's the second issue. You say that the roles
25		played were not in accordance with the division
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1 2		both Investigator and Disclosure Officer, and the Post Office position, which recognised that
2	А.	the Post Office position, which recognised that
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1		of responsibilities set out in the CPIA and the
2		Attorney General's Guidelines on Disclosure, in
3		that they were, I think, always undertaken by
4		the same person?
5	Α.	Yes.
6	Q.	You say, thirdly, that it was unclear who was
7		supervising or directing the Disclosure Officer
8		and does that mean that there was no evidence
9		that you saw of such supervision or direction?
10	Α.	Yes, there was in many, but not all, the
11		cases there were investigation summaries or
12		investigation reports prepared by
13		an Investigator, which was addressed to Contract
14		Managers and persons of that sort. It was not
15		clear who was providing a supervision to the
16		investigation process in the case. There was no
17		material coming from them, for example, that
18		I saw giving instruction to the Investigator as
19		to reasonable lines of inquiry by way of
20		example.
21	Q.	If we go over the page to paragraph 622, please.
22		You say that, in your first report it was
23		paragraph 108 you observe that there was
24		a distinction between the CPIA Code which
25		recognised that the same person could act as 18
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1		CPIA Code is that you have your Investigator and
2		your Disclosure Officer separate so that there
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2		disclosure is necessary and raises issues in
3		relation to that. Here, of course, it was done
4		by the same organisation, albeit the Criminal
5		Law Division at the Post Office and my concern
6		there was that I saw, in many of these cases,
7		very little evidence of any such oversight by
8		them, of identifying reasonable lines of
9		inquiry, identifying things that needed to be
10		disclosed, contrary to a view having been
11		expressed by the Investigator/Disclosure
12		Officer.
13		So there wasn't that more than one person
14		looking at it, more than one organisation
15		looking at it, which, to an extent, the CPIA
16		Code envisaged.
17	Q.	What do you understand the purpose or the
18		rationale for that division of labour, division
19		of responsibility, to be in the CPIA Code and in
20		the AG's Guidelines on Disclosure?
21	Α.	Well, it provides a degree of scrutiny of the
22		process. If it is just done by the
23		Investigator, who then decides whether the
24		material they've there's any material they've
25		obtained that they think undermines the case
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1		that they have built, then there's no one to
2		stand back and ask those very important
3		questions.
4		There is a responsibility for the lawyer who
5		becomes involved in the case to do that and, in
6		some of these cases, that was done. But it just
7		seems to me that the CPIA Code regime envisages
8		more than two people being involved in that
9		conversation, and certainly more than one.
10	Q.	Thank you. If we go on to paragraph 623,
11		please. You say and you give three examples
12		here, from the cases of Lisa Brennan, David
13		Blakey and Allison Henderson that:
14		" the interviewing officer demonstrated
15		a very clear, settled conclusion adverse to the
16		defendant at the time of interview. In the case
17		of Ms Brennan she was told that the officer
18		believed she had done it, Mr Blakey was told his
19		account was 'ridiculous' and Mrs Henderson
20		believed that the Investigator had already drawn
21		his own conclusions."
22		So there you're referring to, I think in the
23		first two cases, your reading of the transcripts
24		of interview
25	Α.	Yes.
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1		what undermined his conclusion that she had done
2		it, and that, where the other checks and
3		balances weren't there to guard against that,
4		gave at least the risk that reasonable lines of
5		inquiry would not be identified and/or
6		disclosure would not be made.
7	Q.	So that Investigator said in interview to
8		Ms Brennan "No one is making mistakes like you",
9		essentially?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	That was also the person who had the
12		responsibility then to investigate whether or
13		not anyone was making mistakes like Lisa
14		Brennan?
15	Α.	Yes, and, I have to say, on the material from
16		that case that I've seen and it's one of the
17		early cases and so the material is limited
18		there wasn't the evidence that checks had been
19		made before that interview or after that
20		interview, to identify whether there were other
21		people making the same mistakes and/or whether
22		the system was generating similar problems.
23	Q.	Thank you. Can I turn to topic 2, please, the
24		Post Office's investigative and prosecutorial
25		focus.
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1		In your Volume 1 report you said that
2		a number of Post Office policies drew attention
3		to financial and business related factors in
4		making prosecutorial decisions.
5	Α.	Yes.
6	Q.	You said that that was your reading of the
7		documents that did not instill confidence in the
8		independence, fairness or transparency of those
9		decisions?
10	Α.	
11	Q.	At various points your Volume 2 report, you
12		refer to the approach of the Post Office
13		seemingly being driven by a desire to protect
14		Horizon
15		Yes.
16	Q.	that arising in particular in the context of
17		disclosure decisions and in pleas
18	A.	Yes.
19 20	Q.	consideration of pleas? Yes.
20 21		You tell us there's no need to turn it up
21	ω.	for example that this is paragraph 414 the
22		prosecution of Mrs Misra had become a battle for
23		the reputation of the Horizon system with the
25		prosecution determined to destroy the attacks on
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1	0	or the reliability of the evidence on which
1 2	Q.	or the reliability of the evidence on which the prosecution was founded?
2	۸	Yes.
4		The cross-references there are paragraphs 217,
5	ч.	423 and 438 of your second report.
6		Did you observe a pattern or a common theme,
7		through some or all of the case studies, of
8		a prosecutorial or investigative approach being
9		driven by a desire to protect the Horizon
10		system?
11	Α.	In a number of respects, just to give examples
12		which I suspect we'll come back to in relation
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1		the system?
2	Α.	Yes, and destroy was the word used, albeit after
3		her conviction, in a memo by someone in the Post
4		Office talking about her trial.
5	Q.	You told us in Volume 1 of your reports that
6		an Investigator was under a duty to pursue all
7		reasonable lines of inquiry for the duration of
8		the relevant period we're looking at, including
9		those that pointed away from the suspect?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	But that was not spelt out in any Post Office
12		policy explicitly until 2010?
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	That would include, is this right,
15		consideration, ie the duty would include
16		consideration, of whether accounting shortfalls
17		at Horizon terminals might be caused by or lie
18		with the computer system itself?
19	Α.	Yes.
20	Q.	In your Volume 2 report, you identified some
21		instances where individuals in the Post Office
22		were "rebutting" or were focused upon rebutting
23		the defence, rather than testing the prosecution
24		case
25	Α.	Yes.
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1	Q.	Did you form a view as to whether that desire to

1	Q.	Did you form a view as to whether that desire to
2		protect the Horizon system affected the
3		independence and fairness of the Post Office
4		Post Office's investigations and prosecutions?
5	Α.	Well, certainly in the majority, at least, of
6		these cases, enquiries were not made, for
7		example, by the obtaining of ARQ data and
8		looking at it, to identify whether there were
9		faults in the system, and whether that was
10		because those investigating did not appreciate
11		that they needed to, or whether it was because
12		they chose not to, the fact is that they didn't.
13		In relation to charging decisions and the
14		supervision by prosecutors of the system, in the
15		majority of these cases, although if they were
16		applying the Code for Crown Prosecutors they
17		were expressly advised to consider the
18		reliability of the evidence on the basis of
19		which they were making charging decisions, they
20		did not raise any question about whether there
21		was any question as to the reliability of the
22		Horizon material, which was the basis for their
23		prosecution decisions, and that's either because
24		they did not consider they needed to, or they
25		weren't aware there was any issue with it, or 28

1	they chose not to.	1		more malign, what was done was not in accordance
2	But the fact is they didn't and, where	2		with the Post Office's duties as Investigator
3	issues were coming up, as they did increasingly	3		and prosecutor?
4	with postmasters in interview, in defence	4	Α.	No, absolutely.
5	statements and, thereafter, raising issues, the	5	Q.	
6	approach was to say, "You need to tell us	6	α.	goes to motivation and can we start, please, by
7		0 7		looking at it'll come up on the screen
8	exactly what you say happened, when it happened,			POL00055590. If we could look at the top half
	in relation to what transaction it happened, and	8		•
9 10	then we'll look at it", rather than proactively	9 10		of the page, please. Thank you. This is, for shorthand, known as the
	identifying "This is the evidence that we are			
11 12	relying on. We have to be satisfied that it is	11		"Horizon bashing bandwagon" email, which has been referred to a number of times in the
	reliable and we have to demonstrate that it's	12		
13	reliable and that's for us to do, not for us to	13		Inquiry, and is a document that I think you saw.
14	ask you to do it for us".	14	Α.	Yes.
	So if I were to summarise that, you would say	15	Q.	It's post-trial in the case of Seema Misra.
16	that you can't or you won't say what the	16	Α.	Yes.
17	motivation was because that's probably for	17	Q.	,
18	others to judge?	18		line of the email is "Seema Misra Guildford
19 A .	Absolutely.	19		Crown Court Trial Attack on Horizon".
20 Q .	Your expert evidence is limited to the fact that	20		You'll see the contents in there and I think
21	the issues that you've identified, the steps	21		you'll be familiar with them.
22	that you've mentioned, were not undertaken.	22	Α.	
23	Would it be right that, irrespective of the	23	Q.	I
24	motivation, whether it was because of a lack of	24		Horizon system and:
25	understanding, a lack of interest, or something 29	25		" through the work of [a number of 30
1	people] we were able to destroy to the criminal	1		Or it's an appreciation that, if these lines
2	standard of proof every single suggestion	2		are pursued, it will generate at least the risk
3	made by the defence."	3		of doubt on the part of a jury about the
4	I think this was the email to which you were	4		reliability of this material, and so it's better
5	referring earlier	5		to stamp on it from the outset, rather than have
6 A .	Yes.	6		that risk.
7 Q .	the language of destruction or destroy?	7	Q.	What about
8 A .	Yes.	8	Α.	Rather than sorry, to identify because
9 Q .	It concludes:	9		we're here in 2010, and we have people who are
10	"It is to be hoped that the case will set	10		copied into this email who'd been making
11	a marker to dissuade other defendants from	11		investigative and charging decisions for quite
12	jumping on the Horizon bashing bandwagon."	12		some time by then. Rather than identifying this
13	Did you see these kind of sentiments	13		keeps coming up, this is something we need to
14	reflected elsewhere?	14		look at to be satisfied that we are prosecuting
15 A .	Yes.	15		on the basis of reliable evidence.
16 Q .	Do they reflect, in your view, a disinclination	16	Q.	What about the view that this is to be regarded
17	to test the reliability of the evidence on which	17		as the kind of email that many of us may have
18	the prosecutions are founded?	18		seen in practice, a back-slapping email after
19 A .	Certainly a disinclination, on one view it	19		we've won a case?
20	speaks of a complacency about the system, that	20	Α.	I think, going back to what I was just saying,
21	the system must be right and that this is the	21		to view a recurrent issue arising in cases
22	desperate attempt of someone, who the computer	22		through completely separate suspects saying
23	is saying has stolen our money, to identify that	23		things about the system and saying that there
24	as just a defence tactic which needs to be	24		must be something going on here, because I don't
25	stamped on.	25		understand this, through those various different
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1		systems, to categorise that as a "Horizon	1
2		bashing bandwagon" is not, in my view, just	2
3		being pleased that you've got a good result in	3
4		Guildford. That's a very protective stance	4
5		about the source of the evidence that is being	5
6		used to prosecute people across the country.	6
7	Q.	Thank you. If we can move on, please. No need	7
8		to turn it up, but in paragraph 567 of your	8
9		report, your Volume 2 report, you refer to	9
10		a disclosure form of words	10
11	Α.	Yes.	11
12	Q.	about Horizon issues, which was described in	12
13		the contemporaneous material as a story	13
14	Α.	Yes.	14
15	Q.		15
16		prepared by the Post Office's Head of Public	16
17		Relations and Media.	17
18	Α.		18
19	Q.	I wonder whether we could look at that document,	19
20		please. POL00058155. If we can start with	20
21		page 3, please. It's an email from Jarnail	21
22		Singh to Hugh Flemington, so lawyer to lawyer.	22
23		"2nd Sight review draft" is the title:	23
24		"After a number of meetings between Post	24
25		Office Management and Members of Parliament in 33	25
1		used up and down the country, when the system	1
2		used up and down the country, when the system	2
2		has been challenged in criminal courts, it has been successfully defended."	2
4		If we scroll up, please, we can see that the	4
4 5		lawyer, Hugh Flemington, sends the document on	5
6		to Susan Crichton, Alwen Lyons she was then	6
7		the Company Secretary:	7
, 8		"This is the story which J [I think	8
8 9		that's Jarnail] put together following our	8
9 10			9 10
10		meeting last week. Any comments please before we release it?"	10
12		Then up, please. The Company Secretary	11
13		sends it on:	12
13		"Can you go to Alana [who I believe is	13
14		a person within the Media and Communications	14
16		Department] as they are the experts with this	16
17		request for the 'story'."	10
18		Alana is asked by Simon Baker:	18
19		-	19
20		"Please can you help us craft our message around the Second Sight review. We need to	19 20
20 21		combat the assertion that the review is	20
21		an acknowledgement that there is a problem with	21
22		Horizon.	22
23 24		"Jarnail has drafted some words below. Do	23
24 25		they strike the right tone?"	24
20		35	25

Inquiry	18 Decembe
relation to the court cases, it was ag the Post Office would undertake a r cases which had been raised by the	eview of the
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interested parties, Post Office Mana proposed the use of independent at Sight. The review to be undertaken specifically restricted to the cases ra the MPs as well as reviewing the ac procedures, processes and reconcil undertaken in relation to the cases in Before formal instructions are given independent auditors, agreements of from all interested parties, namely the Justice for Subpostmasters. The su- have requested a forensic accounta choice to be appointed to oversee the being reviewed by 2nd Sight.	uditors, 2nd will be aised by counting liations in question. to the will be sought he MPs and ubpostmasters ant of their he cases
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the UK. When the system has been challenged in

than 25,000 different subpostmasters and the

Horizon system continues to work properly in

post offices across the length and breadth of

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1		the criminal courts, it has been successfully
2		defended."
3		Then scroll up, please. Mr Baker says:
4		"That works. Thanks."
5		Then it's passed back down to the lawyers:
6		"You have seen the final draft of 'Our
7		story'. Can this now be relieved to our agents
8		and counsel for consistent approach and
9		submissions when there is challenges to the
10		Horizon."
11		I think we can understand the sense of what
12 13	•	Mr Jarnail Singh is referring to there. Yes.
13 14	A. Q.	
14	Q.	So did you understand this to be a story that was to be reflected in the approach taken by
15 16		lawyers, including when submissions are made
17		about challenges to Horizon.
18	Α.	Yes.
19	Q.	Did you understand that this was to be reflected
20	ч.	in evidence in any way?
21	Α.	I certainly understood it was to be reflected in
22		disclosure or response to disclosure. This
23		email I saw, in the context of the case of
24		Ms Sefton and Ms Nield, and it's not altogether
25		clear if and if so when it reached them but,
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2		for disclosure, that it was in that context that
3		this seems to arise in that case. So I took it,
4		at the very least as being a statement that was
5		going to be provided as disclosure where issues
6		about Horizon arose.
7		So, as it said there, "released to our
8		agents and counsel", that's the people who are
9		doing the prosecuting for them, so that this
10		would be what they would be saying, what they
11		would be disclosing, what they would be
12		submitting when a defendant sought to raise any
13		issues with the operation of Horizon.
14	Q.	
15	Α.	Well, it was a press release, rather than
16		a disclosure note. It didn't particularise what
17		issues had arisen in earlier cases, how often
18		they had arisen, in what circumstances they had
19		arisen, over what time period they had arisen,
20		what people were saying in those other cases had
21		happened, what expert evidence had been obtained
22		on either side in relation to them. It
23		certainly does not address whether any actual
24		bugs or problems or flaws had been identified,
25		and this is 2012, and so certainly, on the basis
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1		2013. Please find enclosed a notice of
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1		I think you'll recognise that
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	as the text of the email
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	drafted by the Head of Public Relations and
6		Media of the Post Office, and it's now become
7		a witness statement.
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	If I was to tell you that Mr Kelleher, the Head
10		of Public Relations and Media, had not only been
11		cut and pasted into this witness statement but
12 13		had been cut and pasted into other witness
13		statements, what would your view be? Given the timing of this, it's profoundly
14	Α.	disturbing that both as evidence in cases, which
16		is advanced to be true to the best of the
17		author's belief, and as the extent of disclosure
18		in 2012 in these cases
19	Q.	This is February 2013
20	<u>ц</u> . А.	Yes
21	Q.	it's being served, yes?
22	Α.	that that is it. That is all that
23		a defendant would be informed as to that which
24		was capable of undermining the prosecution case
25		or assisting them in relation to the operation
		41
1		experienced in their use of Horizon, it doesn't
2		really reflect, I'd have thought, his own
3		experience, let alone that of the Post Office
4		that he was working for
5	Q.	Thank you. That can come down.
6		You tell us in your Volume 2 report the
7		cross-references are paragraphs 278 and 458, and
8		paragraphs 34, 35 and 76 of your Volume 2A
9		report about focus or seeming focus on the
10		recovery of money by the Post Office.
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	Did you form a view on whether a focus on the
13		recovery of money was an example of the Post
14		Office acting in a manner that was consistent or
15		inconsistent with its duties as a prosecutor?
16		
	Α.	As a starting point, clearly where the evidence
17	Α.	demonstrated that someone had taken their money,
18	Α.	
18 19	Α.	demonstrated that someone had taken their money, and had been convicted of theft on that basis, then for them to seek to recover that money was
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3		works well, and that where others have tried to
4		challenge it, they have failed.
5		That last bit, sadly, is true, on the basis
6		of the cases that I've seen but the fact remains
7		that this is not a proper approach to the
8		disclosure on these topics. It's certainly not
9		a proper approach as to the extent of disclosure
10		on these topics and it's a rather disquieting
11		approach to the use of a witness statement.
12	Q.	Why is it a rather surprising approach to the
13		use of a witness statement?
14	Α.	Well, it's clearly, witness statements can be
15		drafted not just by the person who signs them
16		and I'm aware of that. But to sign up to this,
17		unless you really did think this was all that
18		one could say on the topic of the operation of
19		Horizon, it is disquieting, and someone, such as
20		Mr Bradshaw, whose name comes up in a number of
21		the cases I've seen, over a period of time that
22		I'd seen, for him to be signing up to that,
23		knowing that this is what issues had come up
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25		independent people about what they had
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2		circumstances where the Post Office could not
3		prove that the money was stolen by the accused
4		and a plea to false accounting had therefore
5		been taken?
6	Α.	Well, on the one hand, I'm conscious that, at
7		least in one of these cases, an argument was put
8		forwarded on behalf of the defendant that it was
9		an abuse of process to and that argument was not
10		successful.
11	Q.	Yes.
12	Α.	But, equally, I am aware that the Court of
13		Appeal expressed, at the very least, concerns
14		about the tying of the recovery of funds from
15		someone who had pleaded to false accounting
16		rather than theft, that that was a concern that
17		they had in those cases as to whether that was
18		appropriate.
19		I share that concern. It's perhaps a use of
20		the levers of the prosecution process to obtain
21		repayment of the money, where, otherwise,
22		insofar as I understand the contract position
23		as we touched on last time, I don't understand
24		that very much that, rather than using civil
25		recovery under the contract, they were using the
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2	process, such as confiscation, such as it being
3	a condition of the acceptance of a plea to get
4	the money back, when they hadn't actually proved
5	that the money had gone in the first place.
6	MR BEER: Thank you very much.
7	Sir, given the time we started this morning,
8	I propose to take the morning break now until
9	12.00 and then sit from 12.00 until 1.00.
10	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, that's fine Mr Beer.
11	MR BEER: Thank you very much, sir.
12	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: 12.00.
13	(11.45 am)
14	(A short break)
15	(12.00 pm)
16	MR BEER: Good afternoon, sir. Can you continue to
17	see and hear us?
18	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, thank you, yes.
19	MR BEER: Thank you.
20	Mr Atkinson, can we move on. We've looked
21	at topic 1, investigation. Topic 2, the
22	investigative and prosecutorial focus.
23	Can we turn to topic 3, which is interviews.
24	A. Yes.
25	Q. From the case studies that you reviewed, do you 46
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1	the period 2000 to 2012, would you agree that
2	such comments and expressions of disbelief, even
3	if inappropriate, would nonetheless often be
4	seen from police officers or HMRC officers in
5	interview?
6	A. I can certainly think of occasions when I've
7	seen them. I wouldn't say it was a routine
8	thing. I can think of cases where such
9	expressions have resulted in applications to
10	exclude the interview in those cases. And the
11	point I was seeking to make here was not
12	a quality check on the quality of interviewing
13	questioning; it was more that this was the
14	person who was making the investigative and
15	disclosure decisions in the case, who was saying
16	this, and that was why I thought it worth
17	identifying.
18	Q. Thank you. The Inquiry has heard that
19	pre-interview disclosure was given to
20	an interviewee's legal representative, prior to
21	the interview but that, if the interviewee was
22	not legally represented, then they wouldn't be
23	provided with pre-interview disclosure. Was
24	that in accordance or not in accordance with
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25 practice as you understood it?

1	Α.	Home Office guidance, which I was given a copy
2		of, amongst many other things last week, did
3		quote from a police approach, which was to that
4		end: that the when not represented, documents
5		wouldn't be handed over to a suspect, albeit
6		that the same guidance made clear that the
7		suspect should nevertheless be put in a position
8		to understand why they were being interviewed,
9		what they were being interviewed about. So,
10		even if they didn't get physical documents in
11		the way that a solicitor would, they did get
12		an understanding of what was going on.
13	Q.	I think the guidance that you're mentioning
14		there's no need for us to turn it up is Home
15		Office guidance
16	Α.	Yes.
17	Q.	dated 31 August 2023
18	Α.	Yes.
19	Q.	ie from this year
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	quoting from a national police document
22	Α.	Yes.
23	Q.	that tends to suggest that the purpose of the
24		provision of pre-interview disclosure is to
25		allow the legal representative to understand the
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1		would quote the key parts in full.
2	Q.	Is it right that, as part of disclosure in
3		a police and CPS case, what ought to be given is
4		an interview transcript, if one is available,
5		and the tape recording or digital recording of
6		and the tape recording of digital recording of
		the interview
7	Α.	
7 8	A. Q.	the interview
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8	Q.	the interview Yes. if available?
8 9	Q. A.	the interview Yes. if available? Yes.
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2	A.	Yes.
3	Q.	and provide appropriate advice to the
4		suspect, in particular on whether to answer
5		questions or not?
6	Α.	Yes, and certainly, within my experience well
7		before 2023, I'm aware that, where a suspect was
8		unrepresented, they were not given copies of
9		documentation, albeit that they were then asked
10		about that documentation during interview, and
11		that would accord with the approach in the Home
12		Office document.
13	Q.	Thank you. Was it your experience in police and
14		CPS cases that, following an interview conducted
15		under PACE, following a charging decision, it
16		would be normal for a full transcript to be
17		prepared of the interview, so that a CPS lawyer
18		could review it?
19	Α.	Certainly at the very least, the reviewing
20		lawyer would have more than a paragraph's worth
21		of summary of an interview before making
22		a charging decision. I certainly can think of
23		cases, particularly the smaller end of cases,
24		where the document that you would have would be
25		more of a summary than a full transcript but it
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1		the parties.
2	Q.	That process would include checking whether the
3		transcript is accurate versus the tape
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	agreeing if possible any summaries of parts
6		of the interview
7	Α.	Yes.
8	Q.	and excluding any material that it was agreed
9		to be inadmissible or identifying if there was
10		a dispute over the admissibility of dispute
11		material?
12	Α.	Yes.
13	Q.	Would there then be an attempt to agree between
14		counsel the edits?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	Was that, so far as you can see, an approach
17		that was adopted in the Post Office
18		prosecutions?
19	Α.	I can't, off the top of my head, think of
20		an example of seeing discussion in the
21		paperwork, which is all I can go on, about that,
22		one way or the other.
23	Q.	In the case of Mr Brennan I'm not going to
24		ask for these to be turned up but there are
25		two versions available to us of the ROTI, the
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		(13) Pages 49 - 52

1		Record of Taped Interview.
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	The first, POL00047322, contains the expressions
4		of incredulity that you mentioned. The second,
5		POL00047320, has them excised, and the metadata
6		from that second version appears to suggest that
7		it was created shortly before trial?
8		Would you expect that sort of comment from
9		an interviewing officer to be excised at before
10		interview at the request of the defence?
11	Α.	
12	Q.	But do I understand that the point you were
13		making in paragraph 623 to have a different
14		object or different target?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	It wasn't about the editing of interviews?
17	Α.	No.
18	Q.	It was about the identity of the investigating
19		and then Disclosure Officer?
20	Α.	It was to the mindset of the investigating and
21		Disclosure Officer, particularly the Disclosure
22	~	Officer.
23	Q.	
24 25		which is a substantial topic: charging
25		decisions. If we can split this up, please, and 53
1		actually looked at.
2	Q.	And what reasoning was included in that decision
2 3		And what reasoning was included in that decision maker's record
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2		decisions. I'm at page 223 of your report.
3	Α.	Yes, thank you.
4	Q.	Paragraph 632. I think it's right that, in
5		relation to charging decisions, you struggled to
6		identify who had taken the final decision in any
7		case to charge a suspect with a criminal offence
8		or offences?
9	A.	Yeah, and this follows on from the concern
10		I expressed when last I was here that there were
11		a number of documents, policy documents from the
12		Post Office that at least suggested that
13		business managers or, indeed, I think in
14		a couple of cases, HR personnel, would be making
15		decisions in relation to prosecution. So I was
16		very keen to see evidence of who actually made
17		the decision and who they were and what their
18		position was. I didn't see anything like that.
19		I saw advices from lawyers, internal advices in
20		the first instance, but it was not clear who
21	_	acted on those advices.
22	Q.	So that's an identity of decision maker issue?
23	Α.	Yes, and whether the person who was making the
24		decision was applying the Code for Crown
25		Prosecutors, for example, what factors they
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start with some general points about charging

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2		was a realistic prospect of a conviction,
3		without anything else. There was no suggestion
4		in any of these that they had seen anything
5		else, before making their giving their
6		advice.
7	Q.	Just concentrating on the question of what
8		information was included in that charging
9		advice, rather than the merits of the decision
10		reached, based on your knowledge of the Crown
11		Prosecution Service and bringing into account
12		the fact that I think your practice, even in
13		2000 to 2012, might have been concentrating on
14		cases of significance or unusual complexity. If
15		you were to review a sample of CPS charging
16		decisions made by CPS lawyers in that period, in
17		the ordinary run of criminal cases of
18		an equivalent seriousness to these, do you think
19 20		you would find, on the file, an advice which set
20 21		out or which explained how the evidence met the Code evidential test?
21 22	Α.	Code evidential test? Clearly, they those that I saw varied in the
22	А.	degree of analysis but, even in the period 2000
23 24		to 2013, I saw charging decisions across a whole
24 25		range of offences and there was a real adherence
20		57
1	Α.	l don't think I am at all. I think,
2		particularly once the Post Office had expressly
3		said that it was going to apply the Code for
4		Crown Prosecutors, that then I don't think it's
5		unreasonable to expect to see an analysis by
6		reference to that test. Long or short, but
7		an analysis, and where you are making a decision
8		about particular offences that involve
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2		would set out "These are the things we have to
3		go through, and these are how we have gone
4		through them", and that did usually I'm not
5		going to say always but usually involve
6		an analysis of the evidence.
7		There would be reference, for example, to
8		the account in interview. There'd be reference
9		to the loser statement, if that was the type of
10		offence, or the complainant's statement. There
11		would be an analysis of the anything that
12		might undermine the credibility of the
13		complainant.
14		Those things would be there. Whether they
15		would be all there, whether they were in
16		themselves always sufficient is perhaps
17		a separate question, but there would certainly,
18		in those that I saw, be an analysis of the
19		evidence. There would at least be a reference
20		to aspects of the evidence in those decisions.
21	Q.	Put shortly, are you holding the Post Office to
22		an ideal standard, rather than reflecting the
23		reality of the standards that were applied by
24		other prosecutors, in making the criticism of
25		these charging decisions that you have?
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1	~	gone and has gone to the
2	Q.	And gone at the hands of this person?
3	A.	Yes, yes.
4	Q.	If we turn up, please, page 224 of your report.
5		EXPG000004R, thank you, page 224. If we
6		look at the last three sentences on the
7		substance of paragraph 633 there, you say:
8		"In particular, this involved consideration
9		of the evidential basis to establish dishonesty,
10		evidence to show where the money had gone, and
11		whether the evidence was reliable."
12		I think you told us last time that all
13		iterations of the Code for Crown Prosecutors
14		directed the CPS lawyers, or those who were
15		applying the Code, to consider reliability; is
16		that right?
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	You say:
19		"By way of example:
20		"In the case of Lisa Brennan, she was
21		charged with theft even though the internal
22		memorandum sent by the lawyer to the
23		Investigator account whether there was evidence
24		of stealing as opposed to the covering up of
25		shortages, and whether there was evidence that

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1		she was dishonest rather than incompetent."
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	I think if we track that document down we're
4		not going to do it now we'll find that that
5		was the very advice that said there's
6		a realistic prospect?
7	Α.	It was as near as I could find to one, in that
8		case, and that again, it was an early case but there was nothing to suggest that there was
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11		anything else, and so it wasn't that the investigator provided evidence to show evidence
12		of stealing, as opposed to covering up shortages
13		or evidence of dishonesty, rather than
14		incompetence, before any decision was made to
15		charge; it appeared that the decision was made
16		when there was no answer to those questions.
17	Q.	How concerning is that well, I should say: is
18	_ .	that concerning?
19	Α.	Yes, it is, because the lawyer in that case
20		identified the right questions. They were
21		absolutely the things to ask before you charge
22		someone with theft but they went ahead and
23		charged, as far as I could see, not knowing what
24		the answers were and that seems the wrong way
25		round to me.
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1		report to come to their view on charge, in that
2		case, they were being told that the offence
3		couldn't be proved and then they charged it.
4	Q.	Was that a concern?
5	Α.	Yes.
6	Q.	The Inquiry has heard evidence from a range of
7		Investigators and prosecuting lawyers who have
8		told the Chairman that they believed at the time
9		that the evidence showed that Horizon was
10		reliable. If that was their state of mind
11		and putting aside the fact that we now know that
12		to have been incorrect would that make any
13		difference to your view as to the reasonableness
14		of the charging decisions?
15	Α.	It would almost certainly depend on the
16		particular case. If it were a case where
17		nothing had been said by the suspect to give
18		rise to any concern about the accuracy of the
19		Horizon data being relied on, and you you had
20		evidence as opposed to a belief, you had
21		evidence that the system was working properly,
22		then that would to charge on that basis,
23		providing everything else was made out, would
24		not be inappropriate.
25		But if you had a suspect who was raising 63

1	Q.	"In the case of Oyeteju Adedayo [you say at (b)]
2		the lawyer correctly identified dishonesty as
3		the likely defence, but didn't address what
4		evidence there was to prove that element of the
5		false accounting offences"
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	"that she [nonetheless] advised be
8		prosecuted."
9	Α.	Yes, and under the Code the lawyer is enjoined
10		to identify what likely defences are and what
11		evidence there is that addresses those defences,
12		and it wasn't just a defence, it's an element of
13		the offence that had to be proved and so, both
14		in assessing whether the elements of the offence
15		were proved on the evidence and whether any
16		defence that was raised was likely to succeed or
17		not, that was the right question to ask, but you
18		needed the answer to it before you could come to
19		a conclusion.
20	Q.	Then, lastly, in the case of Josephine Hamilton,
21		she was, you say, charged with theft on the
22		basis of an investigation report which said,
23		"I was unable to find evidence of theft".
24	Α.	Yes, and so, if my understanding was correct and
25		the lawyer was looking at the investigating
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2		"As a result, to adopt the wording of the
3		Inquiry's question"
4		We had asked whether the charging decisions
5		were thorough and/or conscientious. You have
6		said that:
7		" they were neither thorough nor
8		conscientious."
9	Α.	No, they were brief and, in some cases,
10		perfunctory.
11	Q.	Can I turn to the second issue, please, which is
12		the test that was applied by the charging
13		lawyer, the reviewing lawyer?
14	Α.	Yes.
15	Q.	You picked this up in paragraph 635, which is
16		further down the page. Thank you. You say:
17		"The test that was applied by the lawyer in
18		giving such advice varied."
19		As you said in your first report the Code
20		was not acknowledged as the basis for charge
21		until 2007 that's adopted or acknowledged by
22		the Post Office until 2007 when it was said
23		that that the sufficiency of evidence to
24		prosecute and the public interest would be
25		considered by reference to the Code. 65
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1	Q.	Can we go over the page to page 226, please, and
2		look at paragraph 637. You say:
3		"Even more concerning is the evidence in
		a number of cases that [you] reviewed that the
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2		little assistance provided in the Post Office
3		documents until 2013 as to how the Code was to
4		apply to the cases prosecuted by the Post
5		Office, in relation to either limb of the test.
6		Then you say this:
7		"In fact, on my review of these 20 cases
8		I confess to not having identified any
9		significant change in the way that charging
10		decisions appear to have been approached before
11		2007 and after, or as the Code for Crown
12		Prosecutors developed with new editions in 2004
13		and 2010."
14	Α.	Yes.
15	Q.	Can we extend that to the 22 cases that you
16		looked at?
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	It didn't improve in the case of Janet Skinner
19		or Julian Wilson?
20	Α.	No, there continued to be no analysis of the
21		factors identified under the Code, particularly
22		in relation to the public interest, and there
23		was still cases, across the piece, where the
24		test was set out in ways that didn't reflect the
25		test.
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	2		tend against prosecution, then the fact that the
	3		case is a weak one will add to the weight of
	4		those public interest considerations.
	5	Q.	In a private prosecution where a prosecutor is
	6		not obliged to prosecute, even if both the
	7		evidential threshold is met and the public
	8		interest test is met, might the relative
	9		strength of the evidential case be a factor that
	10		the prosecutor would take into account in
	11		deciding to commit time and resources to
	12		prosecuting?
	13	Α.	Yes.
	14	Q.	Is that how you read these memoranda?
	15	Α.	No, I confess I wasn't really very sure as to
	16		how I should read these memoranda because there
	17		were so few clues in their brevity as to how
	18		I was meant to read them, and that it may have
	19		also puzzled anyone who was receiving them at
2	20		the time as their advice.
2	21		On the one hand, taking the case of
2	22		Mr Blakey as an example, it was saying there's
2	23		a realistic prospect of conviction for theft but
2	24		a low prospect of success for theft and, on one
2	25		reading, those two things cancel each other out.
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	1	Q.	In any of the 22 cases that you looked at, did
	2		you see any analysis of that kind?
	3	Α.	No. Well, in fairness, in very few of the cases
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	•		did I see any reference to the public interest
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25 in practice?

1	Q.	Were you concerned that the gloss that was put
2		may have undermined or vitiated the assessment
3		that there was a realistic prospect of
4		a conviction for theft?
5	Α.	Yes, especially when considered against what
6		evidence there was of the elements of theft in
7		that case. If it were intended as a "You could
8		but I wouldn't if I were you", then it needed to
9		be spelt out in terms, rather than left to the
10		intuition or guesswork of someone else. If it
11		were seeking to address, "It's made out but you
12		may not want to prosecute because the prospects
13		of success are low and, therefore, the public
14		interest factors might outweigh it", then it
15		would have been helpful if it had said any of
16		that, but it didn't.
17		And so it just suggested to me a lack of
18		confidence in there being a realistic prospect
19		of conviction and, if that were the case, in
20		coming to a decision on an offence that would,
21		on the face of it, involve theft in breach of
22		trust by an employee of long record and previous
23		good character, then it really needed to set it
24		all out, rather than just say "low prospect",
25		whatever that meant.
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1	Α.	Yes, so the concern I expressed last time was
2		that simply telling someone that there was
3		another thing that they could go away and look
4		at that would help them make their decisions did
5		put the onus on them to correctly understand
6		what that meant and what it required of them,
7		whereas if it was spelt out in terms for them in
8		the policy by the Post Office, then there was
9		less risk of them getting it wrong and a greater
10		chance of there being a consistent application
11		of the policy.
12		Just pausing there and going back to the
13		last topic, if you'll forgive me for a moment,
14		it's interesting that I found, when I was
15		preparing Volume 1, that there were more policy
16		documents on interviews and the appropriate way
17		of dealing with an interview than almost
18		anything else, and it's interesting that the
19		Investigators, generally speaking, complied with
20		their obligations under PACE in relation to
21		interviews when they had lots of policy help as
22		to how to do that.
23		Here, we have prosecutors who were just told
24		"Apply the Code for Crown Prosecutors", full
25		stop, and we have these charging advices where 72

1		the guidance given in the Code for Crown
2		Prosecutors, as to the things you need to
3		consider in relation to each stage of the test,
4		are not referred to and you have a number of
5		cases where the test that is set out in the Code
6		has a gloss on it that is not explained by the
7		Code or indeed anything else.
8	Q.	Thank you. Can we then turn to the third
9		subtopic, then, the public interest. At
10		paragraph 639 at the foot of the page there, you
11		express concern that the charging memoranda
12		rarely addressed the public interest at all.
13		You said that they were disturbingly few in
14		number; is that right?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	You say that the 2004 iteration of the Code
17		identified 17 public interest factors favouring
18		prosecution, nine to the contrary; and the 2010
19		iteration identified 19 factors favouring
20		prosecution then over the page and 11 to
21		the contrary.
22		I think in none of the 22 cases that you saw
23		was there any analysis of those features at all.
24	Α.	No. Indeed, in the majority of them, the words
25		"public" and "interest" together didn't appear
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2		distinguished career.
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2 3	Q.	So an entire absence of evidence that that had	
3 4		been considered on the face of the papers? Yes.	
-	A.		
5	Q.	You say that you recognise this is the third	
6		line:	
7		" where a prosecutor was satisfied there	
8		was a realistic prospect of proving there had	
9		been theft by an employee in breach of trust,	
10		that would be a strong factor in favour of there	
11		being a public interest in prosecution.	
12		However, the nuances to that test, by reference	
13		to the list of factors for and against	
14		underline that such an analysis may be	
15		oversimplistic."	
16		Can you explain why, please?	
17	Α.	Clearly, where the evidence demonstrates that	
18		an employee has stolen from their employer in	
19		breach of trust, that is the type of situation	
20		where it would often be in the public interest	
21		to prosecute, but it would not necessarily	
22		follow that that were the case if, for example,	
23		it was clear that the person had been acting	
24		under duress at the time that they had done	
25		that, if they were ill, if they were old, if 74	
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2		explain and sought to cover up so more of	
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4		kind of thing that the Code would tell you that	
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interest, weighing against prosecution,
potentially, the fact that someone has a good
record is a factor that is taken in account in
assessing the public interest weighing against
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11		And, indeed, I appreciate it's a very
12		different document, but the audit guidance, the
13		approach to audit shortages that Contract
14		Managers were asked to consider with a whole
15		list of factors, including record, whether this
16		was a one-off, et cetera, whether there'd been
17		voluntary repayment, and so on, those are the
18		kind of things that I would have taken into
19		account if I'd been making one of these
20		decisions as weighing against the public
21		interest being in favour of prosecution, even if
22		I were satisfied that there was evidence of
23		theft.
24	Q.	So even if you'd been able to suspending
25		disbelief for a moment, that there was evidence

1	of theft, you would nonetheless have found, or	1	Α.	Yes.
2	potentially found, the factors that pointed	2		albeit it noted that a suspect should not
3	against, in the public interest, prosecution?	3		avoid prosecution solely because they had repaid
	Yes, and where I would have ended up it's rather	4		a loss?
5	difficult to say because it would have depended	5	Α.	No, absolutely.
6	on my assessment of what the evidence of theft	6	Q.	In the context of a case where there that
7	was. But, certainly, there would have been	7		already been a finding, an assessment, there was
8	factors going both ways that needed to be	8		sufficient evidence to prosecute for
9	thought about, not least because that's what the	9		a dishonesty offence, and a prosecutor is
10	Code told you to.	10		considering whether a prosecution is in the
11 Q		11		public interest or whether a caution might be
12	in your paragraph 639 here, in the last four	12		sufficient and proportionate disposal, would the
13	lines, you say "factors such as whether they	13		fact that the suspect has repaid the amount be
14	have made reparation" were relevant, albeit they	14		a legitimate factor to take into consideration?
15	were rarely addressed.	15	Α.	Yes, it could be, yes.
16	So the extent to which a suspect had made	16		You noted in the case study of Bailey that the
17	reparation, would you agree, was a relevant	17		administering of a caution was made conditional
18	factor to be considered in relation to the	18		on the undertaking to make repayment when fund
19	prosecutorial assessment of the public interest	19		became available?
20	limb?	20	A.	Yes.
21 A .	Yes.	21	Q.	Did you identify any legal basis for the
22 Q	I think in the 2010 edition of the Code, amongst	22		imposition of cautions by the Post Office?
23	the public interest factors that were listed,	23	Α.	There was a Post Office policy that dealt with
24	was the extent to which the suspect had put	24		cautioning.
25	right the loss or harm	25	Q.	Yes. I'm thinking about something higher level
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1	than that, ie in primary or secondary	1		come down from the screen which is reasonable
2	legislation?	2		lines of inquiry and, in particular, how they
3 A .	I'm not sure I'm following you.	3		impacted on the disclosure that it was necessary
4 Q	Yes. In order to impose a caution, was some	4		for the Post Office to give.
5	legal basis setting up the machinery necessary	5	Α.	Yes.
6	to do so or, if that wasn't an issue that you	6	Q.	Back in your first report, the cross-reference
7	looked at, then please do say?	7		is paragraphs 366 to 370, you set out some
8 A .	I don't think it was. I'm sure there must be	8		conclusions in relation to the requirement to
9	but I can't think of it off the top of my head.	9		pursue all reasonable lines of inquiry. I'm
10 Q	Can you recall, as a result of the Criminal	10		just going to remind you of them.
11	Justice Act 2003, in the context of public	11	Α.	Thank you.
12	prosecutions, a mechanism, a vehicle, known as	12	Q.	Firstly, you said:
13	conditional cautioning?	13		"In the present circumstances, the
14 A .	Yes, yes, and there was I know there was, for	14		requirement in the particular circumstances
15	example, CPS guidance in relation to how they	15		involved consideration of whether the
16	should approach that.	16		investigation included whether accounting
17 Q	Could such conditions attached to a conditional	17		shortfalls at Horizon terminals might lie with
18	caution include repayment of money, ie the	18		the computer system, either as a matter of
19	payment of compensation?	19		course or where such a possibility was raised by
20 A .	Yes.	20		a suspect in interview."
21 Q	Did you examine whether that legislative scheme	21		In Volume 2 of your report, you identify
22	was one that was available to the Post Office?	22		some failures on the part of the Post Office to
23 A .	No.	23		pursue such reasonable lines of inquiry and
24 Q	Thank you.	24		resulting in disclosure failings. Can we look,
25	Can we turn to topic 5, please that can 79	25		please, at page 219 of your second report, 80

1		starting at paragraph 624
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	so page 219. Thank you.
4		It's the fourth line at the end there. You
5		say:
6		"In my review of these 20 cases there were,
7		consistently, failures by the Investigators to
8		identify and pursue a number of reasonable lines
9		of inquiry."
10		Can we expand that to in the 22 cases that
11 12		you reviewed, there were consistently failures
12		by the investigators to identify and pursue
13 14		a number of reasonable lines of inquiry? Yes.
14 15	A.	
15 16	Q.	
10		mean by that that it didn't depend on the identity of the Investigator or the lawyer?
18	Α.	No. That's right.
19	Q.	Do you mean consistently by reference to the
20	ч.	fact that it remained the case across the piece?
20	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	I think you tell us about that in the next
23	ч.	sentence:
24		"That remained the position, without any
25		obvious or significant change, after the 2010
20		81
1	Q.	You give three examples of what you call a trend
2	ч.	there: the absence of financial investigation;
3		the absence of investigation of training and
4		calls to helplines; and the absence of
5		investigations into the operations of Horizon.
6	A.	Yes.
7	Q.	I want to deal with each of those in turn,
8		please. The absence of investigation into
9		financial records or financial issues. You
10		address this in your paragraph 625. You tell us
11		that:
12		" where a suspect denied in interview
13		that he or she had taken the money, and/or had
14		sought to make good unexplained losses
15		identified by [Horizon], it would be
16		a reasonable line of inquiry to obtain their
17		financial information to see if there is
18		evidence of unexplained monies appearing in bank
19		accounts, or payments out of those accounts to
20		cover shortfalls. Such evidence is of direct
21		relevance to the question of whether they have
22		appropriated money, for the purposes of
23		theft, and whether they have acted dishonestly
24		for both theft and false accounting."
25		So following the money, if I can call it
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1		amendment to the Post Office disclosure policy
2		document."
3	Α.	Yes, and that meant expressed the duty to pursue
4		all reasonable lines of inquiry, which had been
5		absent from the earlier version of the
6		disclosure policy. Even though it was
7		acknowledged in writing, it was not reflected in
8		the approach, as I saw it, in these cases.
9	Q.	You tell us that:
10		"There were lines of inquiry common to these
11		cases, the relevance of which was repeatedly
12		engaged by the explanations advanced interview
13		by suspects and/or by the circumstances of the
14		shortfall being investigated, which were either
15		not pursued at all, were only pursued in
16		a limited or supervision manner, or were only
17		pursued as a result of requests by reviewing
18		lawyers or, much more commonly, by the defence.
19		The following are examples of this trend."
20		So, irrespective of the circumstances,
21		whether it was a defendant raising it, whether
22		the circumstances of the case demanded it, there
23		was a failure, in your view, to pursue
24	_	reasonable lines of inquiry.
25	Α.	Yes. 82
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1		that, is relevant in a case of alleged theft, to
2		both the appropriation question and the
3		dishonesty question.
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	Can you explain why it's relevant to both the
6		appropriation question and the dishonesty
7		question?
8	Α.	It's relevant to appropriation for evidence that
9		they have appropriated the money, they have got
10		the manay and taken the manay. It's relevant to

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3		dishonesty question.
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	Can you explain why it's relevant to both the
6		appropriation question and the dishonesty
7		question?
8	Α.	It's relevant to appropriation for evidence that
9		they have appropriated the money, they have got
10		the money and taken the money. It's relevant to
11		dishonesty because, if the evidence of their
12		bank account, firstly, shows they haven't taken
13		the money and, secondly, shows that they were
14		not in a financial position where they needed to
15		take the money and, thirdly, where it was
16		appropriate, where it showed they had sought to
17		try to repay losses that had been identified by
18		the system in accordance with their contracts
19		until a point where, as they explained in their
20		interview, they couldn't afford to do it any
21		more, and that that in turn was borne out by
22		their bank accounts, then those factors would
23		all be relevant to the assessment of whether
24		they'd been dishonest or not, because they would
25		bear them out in their explanation of what had 84

1		happened, insofar as they understood it.
2	Q.	What about the suggestion that it was always
3		open to the defendant to say, at trial, "Well,
4		look, there's no evidence adduced by the
5		prosecution of me having a speed boat on my
6		drive, or a holiday in the Bahamas or
7		unexplained entries into my bank account. The
8		prosecution hasn't shown any of those things".
9	Α.	They can say that. They can say that with a far
10		greater degree of emphasis, if the jury know
11		that the prosecution have looked and where they
12		have looked and what they have found or what
13		they haven't found.
14	Q.	
15		to pursue, amongst others?
16	Α.	It's one of the reasons but it's not the only
17	_	one.
18	Q.	How serious an omission or failing did you
19		regard this?
20	Α.	In the first of the cases I considered, that of
21		Lisa Brennan, the lawyer absolutely rightly
22		asked the question of the Investigator as to
23		whether there was any evidence to show that she
24		had stolen the money before then going on to
25		charge her with theft anyway. But the fact that 85
1		same approach taken on the same evidence by the
2	~	Post Office.
3	Q.	In relation to a case of false accounting, what
4		relevance does the financial enquiry that you're
5		suggesting ought to have been made, potentially
6 7	•	have?
	Α.	You would want to consider why the suspect had
8 9		done what they admitted doing, where they
9 10		admitted doing it, in relation to the accounting
11		records. And where they were explaining that they had a loss had come up on the system
12		that they couldn't explain, that they knew they
12		were ultimately going to be reliable for, but it
13		was nothing to do with them, in the sense they
15		hadn't benefited from it, they couldn't afford
16		to pay it back, all of that would be addressed
17		by their financial records that would show
18		whether those things were correct or not.
19		And that would weigh both on whether the
20		elements of the offence were made out but also
20		on the public interest in that kind of case.
21	Q.	In any of the 22 cases that you looked at, did
23	- Z -	you see any written explanation in the papers as
24		to why that line of inquiry was not pursued?
25	Α.	No, and, in fairness, in some of the cases they
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1		that question was raised does underline how
2		fundamental a question it was to raise because,
3		if you are accusing someone of appropriating
4		money, then it is, it seems to me, incumbent
5		upon you to see whether they have or not.
6		And a good place to look for that, not the
7		only one, but a good place to look for that
8		would be to see if there's any evidence that
9		they've got it.
10	Q.	Did you see any explanation in the papers that
11		you saw as to why this line of inquiry was not
12		pursued?
13	Α.	No. I think it was the case, if I remember
14		rightly, of Carl Page, which started out as
15		an investigation with other investigators,
16		I think the police and Customs were both
17		involved at one point, if I'm remembering the
18		case correctly, and the police investigation, in
19		relation to what was then an allegation of
20		a conspiracy in relation to funds from the Post
21		Office, did investigate whether they could find
22		any evidence of the money.
23		They couldn't and the police concluded that
23		they weren't going to take the matter any
24 25		further because they couldn't. That was not the
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1	helplines."
2	A. Yes.
2	Q. What issues might that go to in a prosecution?
4	A. Again, to take the analysis from the lawyer in
5	the case of Lisa Brennan, the other question
6	that she asked of the Investigator in that case
7	was whether this was deliberate or the result of
8	incompetence and, to put that in a slightly
9	different way, you would want to understand
10	whether that which was being done to the system
11	was being done because the person knew what they
12	were doing, or whether it was, at least,
13	possible that it was the result of them not
14	knowing what they were doing, and a way of
15	assessing that would be to identify how much
16	training they'd had to know what they were doing
17	or not.
18	And that would be all the more necessary,
19	where, as was often the case in these cases, the
20	person being interviewed said that they'd had
21	limited training or no particular training in
22	relation to Horizon. And, in either situation,
23	but certainly in the latter, it would be
24	a reasonable line of inquiry to ascertain what
25	training they'd had relevant training, they'd
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1	you had evidence that they had called to ask
2	what they should do, it underlined the fact that
3	this was a problem that they were having to deal
4	with that they didn't understand, and that would
5	be relevant to an assessment of whether they
6	were acting dishonestly or not, whether this was
7	accidental or deliberate, and so on.
8	MR BEER: Thank you very much. I was going to move
9	on to the third subtopic here, but it's 1.00.
10	Sir, I wonder whether we might come back at
11	1.50, please.
12	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: All right, 1.50.
13	MR BEER: Thank you very much, sir.
14	(1.00 pm)
15	(The Short Adjournment)
16	(1.50 pm)
17	MR BEER: Good afternoon, sir. Can you continue to
18	see and hear me?
19	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, thank you.
20	MR BEER: Thank you very much.
21	Good afternoon, Mr Atkinson.
22	Can we turn to the third subtopic of the
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20	fifth topic. The fifth topic was reasonable
23	fifth topic. The fifth topic was reasonable lines of inquiry and the third subtopic was Horizon and obtaining from Fujitsu data, in

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1		had, as to whether this may be the result of
2		mistake, rather than dishonesty.
3	Q.	So in both theft and false accounting
4	Ξ.	allegations, it went directly to the issue of
5		dishonesty?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	Can I turn to the third reasonable line of
8	-	inquiry that you identify, and that's over the
9		page, please.
10	A.	Sorry, just in relation to the second half of
11		paragraph 626 and the calls to helplines.
12		Again, the managing shortage at audit guideline
13		identified that, whether the person had earlier
14		been seeking help in relation to what had gone
15		wrong, was a relevant factor for a contract
16		manager in deciding what to do with the person
17		who where there was an issue on an audit.
18		It was identified as relevant in a number of
19		these cases, but only a few of them, to
20		understand whether the type of problems that had
21		been thrown up in as a description in
22		interview were ones that had been borne out at
23		the time. So where you had suspect saying,
24		"This problem kept arising when I was using the
25		system and I called to ask what I should do", if 90
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1		particular ARQ data. You address this on
2 3	Α.	page 221 of your report at paragraph 628. Yes
3 4	Q.	If we scroll down to 628, thank you, you say:
4 5	ω.	"Where a suspect described issues with the
6		Horizon system, unexplained losses, recurrent
7		error notices or simply asserted that they could
8		not explain what had happened when confronted
9		with a Horizon record of a shortfall, then
10		a reasonable line of inquiry is to identify what
11		the root cause of that shortfall is That
12		involved firstly the obtaining underlying data,
13		and its assessment for bugs, errors or issues."
14		You say that:
15		"The failure to undertake such enquiries was
16		almost routinely identified by the Court of
17		Appeal in Hamilton as a serious investigative
18		deficiency In these, and many other cases,
19		there was no enquiry for bugs or errors, and the
20		ARQ data was not obtained."
21		I think earlier in your report you say that,
22		in some cases, the failure to pursue this
23		reasonable line of inquiry was picked up by

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- a prosecution lawyer but the prosecution lawyerdid not wait for the outcome of the
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1		investigative steps before positively finding or
2		advising that a prosecution should be pursued;
3		is that right?
4	A.	Yes.
5	Q.	That was paragraph 230 of your report.
6		Can I seek to exemplify some of those
7		conclusions in relation to specific case studies
8		and this will take a while but I'm going to
9		devote some time to it because of the
10		importance, potentially, of the issue.
11		In paragraphs 37 to 50 of your report,
12		I think that starts at page 21 if we scroll
13		down 37 onwards, you're addressing here the
14		investigation and charging decision in relation
15		to Lisa Brennan?
16	Α.	Yes.
17	Q.	If we go forwards to 43 and 44 that's
18		paragraphs 43 and 44 on page 23, you say that
19		there was some engagement by the reviewing
20		lawyer with the identification and pursuit of
21		reasonable lines of inquiry?
22	Α.	Yes.
23	Q.	Yes? You cross-refer us, in footnote 30, to
24		POL00047331. Then you tell us, over the page at
25		page 24, in paragraphs 45 and 46, that the
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1		errors or defects in the Horizon system?
1 2	Α.	errors or defects in the Horizon system? No.
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1		Investigator, and it's Mr Bradshaw again,
2		responded to what the reviewing lawyer had said
3		two weeks later, indicating that further
4		investigations had been conducted but that you
5		conclude, in 46, that there was no evidence that
6		any enquiries were made as to whether the
7		Horizon system on which the case depended was
8	_	operating correctly?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	Can we just look, please, then at the two
11		documents that found those conclusions, to start
12		with POL00047331.
13		I think this is the memorandum that you were
14		referring to.
15	A.	Yes.
16	Q.	If we just scroll down a little bit further, we
17		can see what Ms Berridge, a senior lawyer in the
18		Criminal Law Division was advising, "I would
19		like to know", and then 1 to 10.
20		I think it's right, isn't it, that none of
21		those lines of inquiry identified by the
22		reviewing lawyer address expressly reviewing
23		Horizon data or obtaining ARQ data
24 25	A.	No, that's right.
25	Q.	identifying the potential for any bugs, 94
1	Q.	No. Was there any evidence in Lisa Brennan's
2		case that Fujitsu were contacted for information
3		or provision of data that you saw?
4	Α.	No.
5	Q.	I don't think any witnesses from Fujitsu were
6		ever called in Ms Brennan's trial; is that
7		right?
8	Α.	No.
9	Q.	Can we move on, then, to your report, so back to
10		the main report, please, at page 30 and
11		paragraphs 63 to 69. You're here dealing with
12		David Yates' case, yes?
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	You note in paragraph 69, which is on page 32,
15		if we scroll down, there is no evidence that any
16		checks were made on the Horizon system for
17		evidence of faults or other errors that might
18		have impinged on the records that Mr Yates'
19		described in his interview, or otherwise?
20	Α.	No, that's right. That was a case where
21		Mr Yates was describing errors appearing on what
22		he was doing that he couldn't understand.
23	Q.	
24		nothing to indicate that any ARQ data was
25		obtained at the time of the criminal proceedings

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3		material that was being relied on namely the
4		Horizon records was reliable, given that the
5		defendant in his interview was raising issues
6	-	with the operation of the system.
7	Q.	
8		broken it down as I have, a question to Fujitsu,
9		"Can you assure us as to the operation of the
10 11		integrity of the system, can you supply us with
12		ARQ data, can you identify whether there are any bugs, errors or defects that might impinge on
12		the reliability of the data", you would expect,
14		am I understanding this correctly, some general
15		statement of request that was focused on the
16		reliability of the material that the
17	A.	Yes.
18	Q.	prosecution was relying on?
19	Α.	Yes, and how detailed it was would depend on how
20		much he knew and you might then expect to see
21		a discussion between Investigator and lawyer as
22		to what needed to be done about that and that
23		would be an entirely appropriate dialogue to
24		have.
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2		in any of the cases?
2	А.	No.
4	Q.	Can we turn, please, to page 46 of your report.
5	ω.	Between paragraphs 109 and 115 of your report
6		you address the investigation of Tahir Mahmood?
7	Α.	Yes.
8	Q.	In paragraph 114, which is on page 48, you note
9	ч.	that there is no evidence or awareness of issues
10		with Horizon in the investigation?
11	Α.	No. The only place that questions of any errors
12	7.0	in Horizon arose was in the interviews of
13		Mr Mahmood, where he described, as best he
14		could, the problems that he was encountering and
15		what they had led to.
16	Q.	The Court of Appeal observed in <i>Hamilton</i> , it was
17	-	paragraph 322 of the court's judgment, that:
18		"There is nothing of any ARQ data to
19		indicate that any ARQ data was obtained at the
20		time of the criminal proceedings", in
21		Mr Mahmood's case.
22		Did that accord with your examination of the
23		materials?
24	Α.	Yes.
25	Q.	Was there any evidence that Fujitsu was
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1		any reasonable lines of inquiry that required to
2		be pursued, relating to reviewing ARQ data or
3		any other Horizon data
4	Α.	No.
5	Q.	identifying the potential for any errors,
6	-	bugs or defects in the system, or contacting
7		Fujitsu in relation to the reliability or
8		integrity of Horizon data upon which reliance
9		was to be placed?
10	Α.	She took account of the fact that the error
11		notices that have been obtained didn't accord
12		with this all being the result of a mistake.
13		She then went on to consider that theft was not
14		to be pursued because there were other
15		candidates who could have carried out the theft
16		and to rely, instead, on false accounting on the
17		basis of a covering up of losses in the records,
18		whether they'd been caused by Mr Mahmood or not,
19		without having actually carried out or advising
20		that there should be carried out any checks
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21		either, as to where the money that gone or as to
21 22		either, as to where the money that gone or as to what had happened on the computer.

- 23 **Q.** Was that adequate or not adequate?
- 24 A. No. It wasn't adequate.25 Q. Thank you.
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 Can we turn to the case of Carl Page, please, that's page 59 of your report. Between paragraphs 149 and 152 of your report, you look at Horizon issues in relation to the prosecution of Mr Page, and you note that, in the course of the retrial, a defence expert report from Timothy Taylor of KPMG was served on behalf of the defence, which raised the prospect that the £282,000 deficiency "could in practice be the result of unidentified errors or differences in Horizon" and that the prosecution case depended on Horizon "working correctly throughout the indictment period". Yes? A. Yes. Q. In the light of that defence expert report suggesting that the £282,000 could, in practice, be the result of unidentified errors or deficiencies in Horizon, was there any evidence that the Post Office sought to investigate the existence of any such unidentified errors or deficiencies? A. No, and the taking on board all the need to be careful about material generated after the event, the Second Sight review didn't point to 1 	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13		please, that's page 59 of your report. Between paragraphs 149 and 152 of your report, you look at Horizon issues in relation to the prosecution of Mr Page, and you note that, in the course of the retrial, a defence expert report from Timothy Taylor of KPMG was served on behalf of the defence, which raised the prospect that the £282,000 deficiency "could in practice be the result of unidentified errors or differences in Horizon" and that the prosecution case depended
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3 Suzanne Lesley Palmer. If we go to the second	3		Suzanne Lesley Palmer. If we go to the second
4 page, please, we'll see this is one of	4		page, please, we'll see this is one of
5 Mr Jarnail Singh's charging advices.	5		Mr Jarnail Singh's charging advices.
6 A. Yes.		Α.	
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2		of contemporaneous material in that regard.
3	Q.	The Court of Appeal observed, it's paragraph 284
4		of the Court of Appeal's judgment, that there is
5		nothing in the Post Office case papers to
6		indicate that any ARQ data was obtained at the
7		time of the criminal proceedings in Mr Page's
8		case, whether at the initial trial or upon
9		retrial. Did that observation accord with your
10		examination of the case papers?
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	Can we turn, please, to paragraph 223 onwards in
13		your report, that's page 85, where you're
14		addressing the investigation in relation to
15		Suzanne Palmer. This is paragraph 223 to 227.
16		In relation to that case, Ms Palmer's case, did
17		you see any evidence that Fujitsu was ever
18		contacted for information or evidence in
19		relation to Ms Palmer's case?
20	Α.	No.
21	Q.	Was there any evidence that any witness
22		statements from Fujitsu employees were ever
23		served on Ms Palmer?
24	Α.	No.
25	Q.	Therefore none called at trial. Can we look, 106
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1		if we scroll down the line "No further
2		statements need to be obtained at this stage".
3	A.	Yes.
4 5	Q.	But then, conditionally, if there's an election
_		for trial or refusal of jurisdiction, or if a not guilty plea is entered, then the following
6 7		statements are necessary, but none of those
8		address the three points that I've asked you
8 9		about?
10	A.	No, and the statements that are listed there are
11	Λ.	all tidying up the evidence for presentation to
12		a jury. I don't read number 4 there, "Any other
13		statements the Officers consider relevant", to
14		be identifying to an Investigator that they
15		needed to go and obtain ARQ data.
16	Q.	Page 114, please sorry, my mistake.
17		Yes, page 114 of your report, please.
18		You're dealing here, between paragraphs 312 and
19		320, with the investigation concerning Mr Peter
20		Holmes?
21	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	In paragraph 316, please, which is on page 116,
23		you're addressing, in 316, the interview and you
24		summarise what happened in the course of the
25		interview.
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1	^	Yes.
2	Q.	
3	ч.	" shortages could be an issue with
4		Horizon or with malfunctioning equipment."
5		Then fourth line:
6		" believed that the shortfall on each
7		occasion was something that the computer had
8		done, or failed to do."
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	Seventh line:
11		"He also raised specifically issues with the
12		Horizon system for three months about nine
13		months previously."
14	Α.	Yes.
15	Q.	Tenth line:
16		"He denied, emphatically, stealing the money
17		"
18	Α.	Yes.
19	Q.	I think, if we look, at POL00052178, we can see
20		his defence statement, "Name of Accused: Peter
21		Holmes", his solicitors and the date of it.
22		Then if we scroll down to what his defence
23		statement said, second sentence:
24		"I believe that either the Horizon system
25		has on occasion been at fault and ultimately 109
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1		results of any such contact or, indeed, any
2		document that set out such contact.
2 3	Q.	document that set out such contact. Let's look at this in more detail then because
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2		entries."
3		Would you agree that, both in interview and
4		in his defence statement, Mr Holmes was squarely
5		raising the operation of the Horizon system as
6		being responsible for the shortfalls?
7	Α.	Absolutely.
8	Q.	Is there any evidence that Fujitsu was ever
9		contacted for information or evidence in
10		relation to Mr Holmes' case?
11	Α.	It's not absolutely clear. There was a degree
12 13		of Horizon material that the investigation did obtain, and transaction logs, for example,
13		although it wasn't clear where those had come
15		from and they may have come from the branch.
16		rather than from anywhere else. And the
17		Investigator's report, there were two versions
18		of it in this case, and the updated version made
19		reference to faulty equipment and asserted that
20		"This has been checked and the allegations are
21		unfounded". It wasn't clear from the report how
22		they'd been checked or with whom.
23		So I can't say positively that nothing was
24		done in terms of contacting Fujitsu. What I can
25		say is I didn't see any the evidence of the
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2 3	A.	page 3. It's a Juliet McFarlane case. Yes.
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2	relating to the operation of the Horizon system?	2	Α.	Yes.
3 A .	No.	3	Q.	the phraseology use
4 Q .	Can we go back to your report, please, and look	4	Α.	Yes.
5	at the case of Lynette Hutchings. That is	5	Q.	What do you take from
6	page 152. At paragraph 423 at the foot of	6	Α.	Well, in terms of identi
7	page 152, you tell us that:	7		of inquiry, that's a line
8	" Jarnail Singh advised that it was	8		to or from, that implica
9	likely that the defence would assert that	9		this was effectively say
0	Horizon was not working, and therefore 'it would	10		he was encountering p
1	be more prudent for the officer to complete his	11		need to disprove that".
2	enquiries and further investigations and produce	12		not saying that it was v
3	the evidence" listed in the advice	13		pursue that, because
4	[including] 'evidence rebutting the allegations	14		that was a reasonable
5	and criticisms made in the pre-prepared	15		but I found the way it w
16	statement' and 'statements dealing with the	16		than helpful.
7	integrity of the Horizon and call logs to the	17	Q.	In paragraph 425 of yo
8	Horizon Support desks'."	18		the page, please, you
9	Then you say:	19		2012 Martin Smith of (
20	"It is of note that it identified approach	20		a charging advice reco
21	was to rebut the assertions not to	21		be charged?
22	investigate whether or not those assertions	22	Α.	Yes.
23	might be true."	23	Q.	,
24 A .	Yes.	24		if we go to the last pag
25 Q .	Are you focusing on the formulation of the 113	25		this is produced by Ma
1	King on 4 January 2012. Then back to the	1		and the admissions
2	beginning. If we just scroll through and look	2		how she could succes
3	at what Mr Smith says. The audit, in his first	3		actions had not been
1	paragraph:	4		not the intention to ma
5	" very strong evidence to support the	5		"I have seen the [
6	allegation that Mrs Hutchings had inflated the	6		2011"
7	amount of cash held in the branch, usually by	7		That's the one in
8	inflating the figure for cash held in £50	8		Horizon related integri
9	notes."	9		pursued.
0	Third paragraph, if we scroll down:	10	Α.	Yes.
11	"In interview a prepared statement was	11	Q.	He says:
12	read out she admitted to altering the cash	12		"[I have seen] nur
13	declarations and suggested she had done so only	13		been taken. No furthe
	since the migration to Horizon Online"	14		taken at the present ti
4	Over the page:	15		be charged, in the last
				Vee
5	"Furthermore she said that at the time of	16	Α.	Yes.
5 6		16 17	A. Q.	
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1		request
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	the phraseology used?
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	What do you take from that?
6	Α.	Well, in terms of identifying a reasonable line
7		of inquiry, that's a line of inquiry that leads
В		to or from, that implicates or exculpates, and
9		this was effectively saying "The defendant said
0		he was encountering problems on the system, we
1		need to disprove that". And that's not I'm
2		not saying that it was wrong to say we need to
3		pursue that, because clearly they did need to
4		that was a reasonable line of inquiry to pursue,
5		but I found the way it was put, perhaps less
6		than helpful.
7	Q.	In paragraph 425 of your report, further down
8		the page, please, you tell us that on 4 January
9		2012 Martin Smith of Cartwright King produced
0		a charging advice recommending that Ms Hutchings
1		be charged?
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	If we can look at that, please, POL00057341, and
4		if we go to the last page, please, we can see
5		this is produced by Martin Smith of Cartwright
		114
1		and the admissions it is difficult to see
2		how she could successfully argue that her
3		actions had not been dishonest and that she had
4		not the intention to make a gain
5		"I have seen the [memorandum] of 17 June
6		2011"
7		That's the one in which Mr Singh has advised
8		Horizon related integrity issues should be
9		pursued.
0	Α.	Yes.
1	Q.	He says:
2		"[I have seen] numerous statements have
3		been taken. No further statements need to be
4		taken at the present time", and that she should
5		be charged, in the last paragraph on the page.
6	A.	Yes.
7	Q.	Would you agree that the statements which
8		Mr Singh had recommended be obtained were not,
9		in fact obtained, going to the Horizon integrity
20	•	issue?
!1 !2	A.	Not that I saw. Mr Smith in this memorandum dismisses
2	Q.	

- tions concerning the Horizon
- ys they "do not appear to be

1	A.	Yes.
2	Q.	ls that a view with which you agreed or
2	ω.	disagreed?
4	Α.	Disagreed.
5	Q.	By reference to the fact that the lines of
6	α.	inquiry that Mr Singh had recommended be pursued
7		and what was said in this charging memorandum,
, 8		was it appropriate or inappropriate for
8 9		a charging decision to be taken in Ms Hutchings'
9 10		
10		case without the Post Office having, at that stage, obtained statements "dealing with the
12		integrity of Horizon"?
12	Α.	One of the things that she had said in her
13	А.	prepared statement was that she had not been
14		responsible for the loss, that the loss had
16		arisen on the system and that what she had been
17		doing was to adjust the figures in the hope that
18		it would balance out in itself in due course,
19		that the system that had created a problem would
20		sort the problem out, and that clearly was
20		relevant to the assessment of her honesty or
22		otherwise, which was dismissed by Mr Smith in
23		his advice.
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25		an understanding of whether these were
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	and 452, you address the investigation that was
	undertaken in the case of Joan Bailey.
Α.	Yes.
Q.	Was there any evidence that Fujitsu was
٩.	contacted for information or assistance in
	relation to Joan Bailey's case?
Α.	No.
Q.	Were there any witness statements obtained from
	Fujitsu served on Mrs Bailey before she accepted
	a caution?
Α.	No, and it's right to say in her case she, in
Λ.	
	interview, did raise the question of, and her
	belief that there were, problems in the Horizon
	system that were giving rise to issues. The
	Investigator, Mr Bradshaw again, in her first
	interview reassured her that the Horizon system
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	was contacted for information or evidence in
	relation to Ms Henderson's case?
A.	No.
Q.	
Q.	Can we look, please, at the reviewing lawyer's
	advice, POL00047159. 21 May 2010, Allison
	Henderson. If we go over the page, please, and
	scroll down, we can see that it's the Head of
	Criminal Law, Mr Wilson's, advice memo?
Α.	Yes.
Q.	Back to page 1, please. We can see the
.	formulation that he uses:
	"In my opinion the evidence is sufficient to
	afford a realistic prospect of conviction of the
	above named on a charge of theft as set out on
	the attached Schedule. I have not drafted
	a commencement date in the theft as I am not
	clear when we are saying that the losses
	started. Can you fill in such a date and
	-
	explain to me your rationale for relying on this
	particular date.
	" it does not seem appropriate to
	consider false accounting charges. It would be
	helpful if we could obtain some evidence to
	refute the possibility that the money she
	alleges must have gone missing was not, in fact,
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regularities as a result of the system and the

way it was operating or not. But, beyond that,

there was the wider need to test the reliability

of the evidence being relied on rather than to

proceed from the basis that Mr Smith did, that

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Q. Thank you. Can we turn to Joan Bailey's case,

please. This is page 159 of your report.

it was reliable, without more.

1		in the account during the last accounting period
2		prior to the audit."
3		Do you understand what that means?
4	Α.	Not altogether, no.
5	Q.	In any event, in this advice we can scroll
6		down the rest of the page and look over to
7		page 2 do you agree that Mr Wilson did not
8		advise as to a line of inquiry existing
9		concerning the review of data, including ARQ
10		data
11	Α.	No, that's right.
12	Q.	the potential for bugs, errors or defects in
13		Horizon to be investigated or, indeed, any
14		contact with Fujitsu in relation to the
15		integrity of Horizon data?
16	Α.	I have a vague memory that there was
17		a suggestion at one stage in Ms Henderson's case
18		that they might, if the matter went to trial,
19		need to get a statement from Mr Jenkins, who
20		they had started to get statements from by then,
21		but it never got that far. But, certainly, in
22		the time that this was being investigated,
23		I didn't see any issue with any steps being
24		taken to get such ARQ data, for example, or
25		contacting Fujitsu more generally.
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1		"It is not clear whether there were
1 2		"It is not clear whether there were enquiries as to calls to the Horizon Helpdesk or
2		enquiries as to calls to the Horizon Helpdesk or
2 3		enquiries as to calls to the Horizon Helpdesk or the NBSC as would be a standard line of inquiry in these cases."
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2		address the interview in paragraph 484. In 485,
3		you say:
4		"The interview was combative and was
5		indicative of a disciplinary approach as opposed
6		to an investigative [approach]."
7		Just whilst we're on that, taking it out of
8		turn, what do you mean by "it was indicative of
9		an disciplinary approach"?
10	Α.	It was it read as if this was a case of prove
11		a misconduct that Ms Henderson was being asked
12		to justify, rather than an investigation with
13		her of how it was that losses identified by
14		Horizon might have arisen, and I certainly
15		she felt it to be that because she said so, that
16		she felt that the investigators had drawn their
17		own conclusions before they'd spoken to her.
18	Q.	You tell us in 486 that bank statements were
19		obtained. Can you recall what the reason was
20		for the obtaining of bank statements in this
21		case, as opposed to others?
22	Α.	That, I think, was to see whether there was any
23		evidence that the money had gone to her, and
24		there wasn't.
25	Q.	You say in the third line: 122
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1		an investigation of sorts.
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	Between paragraphs 602 and 606, you tell us
4	ч.	about the approach that was taken by a lawyer at
5		Cartwright King, called Rachael Panter, to
6		disclosure in the case. Is this a fair summary:
7		that she advised that it was sufficient for
8		Mr Jenkins to address Horizon integrity issues
9		on a generic basis because the subpostmaster had
10		not raised a specific issue with the Horizon
11		system itself; they've all been generic to date?
12	Α.	Yes.
13	Q.	If we look at that underlying document, please,
14		POL00059402 and, if we go to the last page in
15		this chain, please, we can see this email is
16		signed off if we scroll up, please by
17		Rachael Panter if we scroll up, keep going.
18		It's an email to Mr Jenkins of 16 November 2012,

- 18 It's an email to Mr Jenkins of 16 November 2012,19 and she says:
- 20 "As you may already be aware, your expert
 21 report detailing the reliability of the Horizon
 22 system has been served as evidence in a number
 23 of Post Office cases that are at various stages
 24 of the court process, most of which are listed
 25 for trial in the early part of next year.
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1	"It should be noted that to date, most, if	1
2	not all cases raising the Horizon system as	2
3	an issue, have been unable/not willing to	3
4	particularise what specific issues that they	4
5	have with the system, and how that shapes the	5
6	nature of their defence.	6
7	"As we already have your detailed report,	7
8	I would like to serve it in each case listed	8
9	below. All of the following cases have raised	9
10	issues with the reliability of the Horizon	10
11	system."	11
12	Then Khayyam Ishaq's is listed:	12
13	"I would like to serve your report in the	13
14	remaining cases and have attached a case summary	14
15	of each case listed above so that you may	15
16	familiarise yourself with the facts of each	16
17	case.	17
18	"I stress that I do not anticipate that	18
19	all of the above cases will reach trial	19
20	could you read the case summaries attached, and	20
21	send 5 original signed and dated copies of your	21
22	report to me as soon as possible."	22
23	Then some other material.	23
24	Can we go back to your report, please, at	24
25	page 213. At page 213, you tell us at	25
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1	it wasn't necessary for Mr Jenkins to address	1
2	the data in a particular case, such as that as	2
3	of Mr Ishaq, because defendants, such as	3
4	Mr Ishaq, had not spelt out what it was that had	4
5	caused the problem on Horizon in their case, why	5
6	the losses had been shown on the system in their	6
7	case.	7
8	But that, of course, required the defendant	8
9	to understand why the errors had arisen in their	9
10	case and, certainly by this point, at the end of	10
11	2012, it had been repeatedly clear from repeated	11
12	suspects that they didn't understand what the	12
13	problem was, they just knew there was a problem	13
14	and they described what they had encountered in	14
15	their interview, as Mr Ishaq did here.	15
16	And so, rather than testing the reliability	16
17	of the evidence that the case was founded on,	17
18	and where they had someone who could do that	18
19	testing for them in the shape of Mr Jenkins,	19
20	asking Mr Jenkins to test it, to understand	20
21	whether the system had been working properly in	21
22	this branch at this time, instead, because the	22
23	postmaster couldn't give chapter and verse as to	23
24	what was causing the problem, it was deemed	24
25	sufficient to have a generic report that simply	25

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paragraph 605 that Mr Jenkins replied asking if his existing report from Patel could not be used, raising the question of whether contact with him should be by the Post Office rather than their solicitors: "Ms Panter commented to a colleague at Cartwright King, 'I can clarify with Gareth that it doesn't matter that specific cases are not quoted in his report as not one of them has raised a specific issue with the Horizon system itself, they have all been generic to date'." Then you offer your view in paragraph 606 as to this. A. Yes. Q. You say: "As an approach to disclosure, the obvious difficulty with it is that it makes disclosure dependent on a defendant understanding what has gone wrong, what issue with the Horizon system had led to according imbalances, when a reason for the defendant seeking to cover unexplained losses was that they did not understand why they were happening." Can you explain what you mean there, please? A. So the approach that Ms Panter adopted was that 126 asserted that the system was all right.

2	Q.	You make that point that you've just made there
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3		in the last two sentences of paragraph 606:
4		"As his approach in the case of Gareth Allen
5		shows, it was possible for Mr Jenkins to access
6		Horizon data for a particular post office to
7		check if there were any issues. The approach
8		identified by Ms Panter did not facilitate such
9		an approach, and yet it was that approach that
10		was required."
11		Would you agree that, in addition to having
12		the effect of restricting the analysis which
13		Mr Jenkins might undertake, the effect of the
14		approach that Ms Panter adopted to disclosure
15		was that, in many of the cases you have
16		reviewed, including this one, Fujitsu were never
17		asked to analyse the transaction data at all?
18	Α.	That's right, and the case of Mr Allen that
19		I referred to there was a case where Mr Jenkins
20		has said that it was possible to look at ARQ
21		data in relation to Mr Allen and see what it
22		showed. So it was made clear to him, in his
23		discussions with the lawyers who were dealing
24		with these cases, that this was something that
25		could be done.

1	Q.	The Court of Appeal observed that ARQ data was
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- 2 provided for the indictment period to the
- 3 defence on the 26 October 2012, shortly before
- 4 trial was due, but that it was unclear what, if
- 5 any, analysis was performed on it and that there
- 6 was no examination of that data for bugs, errors
- 7 or defects, or indeed for evidence of theft?
- 8 Α. Yes.
- 9 Q. Did that accord with your own observations --
- 10 Α. Yes.
- Q. -- of the case papers here? 11
- A. And as other cases where experts were instructed 12
- 13 on behalf of the defence demonstrated, the
- 14 difficulty of just giving a collection of data
- 15 to the defence is that, unless they had the
- 16 necessary expert understanding of how Horizon
- 17 worked, it was a very large job for them to
- 18 analyse, to understand, even begin to understand
- 19 how the system worked, let alone how it wasn't
- 20 working, whereas someone with knowledge of the
- 21 system had that advantage, and a subpostmaster
- 22 I wouldn't include on what I read in that
- 23 category to understand the technical aspects of 24
- the Horizon system.
- 25 Q. Just going back to paragraph 532 of your report, 129
- 1 Office Investigator and/or lawyer decided that
- 2 it was sufficient to serve a general statement
- 3 in place of Mr Jenkins examining the underlying 4 data?
- 5 A. There were various reasons given in various
- 6 different cases. Insofar as Mr Allen's case is
- 7 concerned, I'm not sure that I did see a reason
- 8 beyond the position which had already been
- 9 stated, that it was for the defendant to
- 10 identify what had gone wrong and that they would
- 11 then look at it, rather than for them to
- 12 investigate whether the system had been reliable 13 or not.
- 14 What was interesting, just while we're on
- 15 this paragraph and in this case, is that another
- 16 lawyer involved, Andrew Bolc, did appear here to
- 17 be noting that the retrieval of the data from
- 18 Fujitsu for these purposes would not cost the
- 19 Post Office anything and, in other cases, cost
- 20 was given as a reason for not doing things, but
- 21 that -- what Mr Bolc, was saying here did tend
- 22 to suggest that that wasn't right.
- 23 Q. It wasn't operative, at least in this case?
- 24 Α. Yes.
- 25 Q. What view, if any, did you take of the fact that

- as you mentioned Mr Allen's case, it's on
- 2 page 188, you tell us in this context that the
- 3 failure to examine detailed data logs in order
- 4 to investigate the specific issue was, to quote
- 5 you, "an unfortunate failure in the evidence"
- 6 but that appeared to be a Post Office decision; 7 would that be right?
- 8 A. Yes. Yes, he'd -- he, meaning Mr Jenkins, had 9 indicated that it could be done but he wasn't
- 10 asked to do it.
- Q. So Mr Jenkins was offering to examine the data, 11 12 in addition to making a general statement about
- 13 Horizon reliability?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. But the Investigator and the prosecutor decided
- 16 that the general statement was enough; is that 17 right?
- 18 Α. Yes.
- 19 Q. Would the course of action that Mr Jenkins was
- 20 offering to undertake have been more in line
- 21 with the Post Office's duties as a prosecutor,
- 22 both in terms of reasonable lines of inquiry and
- 23 disclosure?
- 24 Α. Yes
- 25 Q. Did you ascertain why it was that the Post 130
- 1 a witness was suggesting the possibility of 2 a line of inquiry being pursued, identifying 3 that examination of the underlying data, the 4 logs, might be the appropriate course of action, 5 but the Investigator and the prosecution were 6 saying not to? 7 Α. Well, it goes slightly further than that. This 8 is the expert, as they perceived him to be, that 9 they had gone to for his expert knowledge of the 10 system, saying to them that this would be the 11 appropriate way forwarded and for the 12 Investigator and lawyer to say no to that which 13 their expert was telling them would be the 14 logical next thing to do, which, in any event, 15 it should have been clear to them needed to be 16 done 17 Q. Was that of concern? 18 Α. Yes. 19 In that paragraph, 532, and indeed elsewhere in Q. 20 your report -- other paragraphs include 545 and 21 663 -- you are critical of the use of so-called 22 generic statements concerning the reliability of 23 Horizon being presented as expert evidence, and 24 as a collateral point placing an obligation on
- 25 a defendant to specify particular issues with 132

1		Horizon before any further investigation of
2	-	those issues would take place?
3	Α.	Yes.
4	Q.	Have I summarised
5	Α.	
6	Q.	,
7		Did you form a view who was controlling this
8		exercise, the extent to which specific enquiries
9		were made: on the one hand, the Post Office,
10		and, on the other, Fujitsu, including
11		Mr Jenkins?
12	Α.	Insofar as I could see from what I had, there
13		was this instance here of Mr Jenkins
14		volunteering that something further could be
15		done in relation to the ARQ data and, in this
16		instance, it was the Investigator and the lawyer
17		who said that that wasn't required.
18		In other instances, it was lawyers such as
19		Ms Panter, who were saying a generic statement
20		will do, and so, insofar as I could judge from
21		what I could see, it was the Post Office side of
22		things saying "This is enough", rather than
23		their expert or the company that he worked for
24	-	telling them that it didn't need to be done.
25	Q.	I think you're nonetheless critical of the 133
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2		statement of material directly relevant to
3		Horizon reliability that Mr Jenkins was aware of
4		at the time that he made the October 2012
5		generic statement?
6	Α.	Yes, because, as an expert, and bound by the
7		rules in relation to what was required of expert
8		evidence, he was required to identify that which
9		was relevant to and potentially undermining of
10		any opinion he expressed and, if he was
11		expressing an opinion that the system worked
12		properly and he was aware of material that might
13		suggest to the contrary, then he had a duty to
14		disclose that in his report, even if he hadn't
15		been asked to.
16	Q.	You began that sentence with the words "As
17		an expert"?
18	Α.	Yes.
19	Q.	Can I ask you please an open question as to why
20		you described Mr Jenkins as an expert
21	Α.	Firstly
22	Q.	and what you mean by that?
23	Α.	Firstly, that was how he was treated in the
24		sense that, when his statements were served in
25		these various cases, when he was called in the 134
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2	Α.	Yes.	2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	"what should happen?"	3	Q.	It's after Second Sight have been a
4	Α.	Yes.	4		investigators and, if we just scroll the
5	Q.	"What do I need to do?"	5		please, paragraph 1:
6	Α.	Yes.	6		"In my earlier advice I advised
7	Q.	In this context, the present context I'm asking	7		need to prove the integrity of Horiz
8		you, which is the preparation of the generic	8		was apocryphal evidence on the In
9		statement, do you agree that it was important	9		elsewhere that the system was lead
10		for the Post Office prosecutors to tell	10		injustice.
11		Mr Jenkins, remind him of his duties to the	11		"The position of the Post Office
12		court, in particular in relation to the	12		until now, always been very robust.
13		disclosure of any information that undermined	13		system has been challenged in the
14		the views that he was expressing, when proposing	14		courts the system has always been
15		that he should provide a generic statement	15		defended."
16		concerning Horizon?	16		Second Sight has been annou
17	Α.	Yes.	17		"Whether this announcement v
18	Q.	That didn't happen?	18		considered or not is not an area the
19	Α.	No.	19		to address but the bell cannot be u
20	Q.	Can we look, please, at POL00026567. You'll see	20		there will be consequences"
21		from the first page here that this is a case	21		Then if we scroll on, please:
22		concerning Kim Wylie. Again, it's not one of	22		" we have now given ammun
23		the case studies but it's the beginning of the	23		attempting to discredit the Horizon
24		trail, which leads to the generic statement,	24		argument will be there is no smoke
25		I think. We'll see that this is an advice by 137	25		and we would not have needed to a 138
1		proof system. We can expect this to go viral in	1		understanding is they will not provi
2		that any competent defence solicitor advising in	2		evidence without large fees being
3		a case such as this will raise the integrity of	3		will not do. If the integrity of the sy
4		the Horizon system and put us to proof as to its	4		compromised then the consequence
5		integrity. As all of our cases depend on the	5		catastrophic for all of us including t
6		system to compute the alleged losses this is	6		financial consequences of conviction
7		likely to affect a considerable percentage of	7		confiscation orders being overturne
8		our cases.	8		confidence in the Post Office book
9		"4. The extra evidence which we will be	9		restored for future prosecutions wil
10		obliged to gather will be as nothing in	10		astronomical. They should be mad
11		comparison to the potential disclosure problems	11		that this is a firefighting situation ar
12		we may face. Until the Second Sight is	12		not just our house that will be burne
13		concluded we will be in limbo. It is essential	13		the system were compromised."
14		that this is completed as soon as possible	14		Then on to 6, please.
15		and we can live by its findings. We will have	15		" we should attend to the foll
16		to find out when this enquiry will report in	16		" identify the contested cases
17		order that we choose our strategy. If it is	17		criminal and civil, in which Horizon
18		a matter of weeks, then cases can be put over	18		challenged identify areas of chal
19		until after it reports. If we are talking	19		how we neutralised them. Any exp
20		months then the courts will not wear such	20		should be retained for evaluation.
21		delays.	21		should be identified and instructed
22		"I assume we will contend that the system is	22		a generic statement which confirms
23		foolproof in which we should defend it	23		the system and why the attacks so
24		aggressively. I understand the manufacturers	24		unfounded. This expert should be
25		have not been helpful up until now. My 139	25		all cases where the Horizon systen 140

Q.	It's after Second Sight have been announced as
	investigators and, if we just scroll through it,
	please, paragraph 1:
	"In my earlier advice I advised we would
	need to prove the integrity of Horizon as there
	was apocryphal evidence on the Internet and
	elsewhere that the system was leading to
	injustice.
	"The position of the Post Office has, up
	until now, always been very robust. When the
	system has been challenged in the criminal
	courts the system has always been successfully
	defended."
	Second Sight has been announced:
	"Whether this announcement was well
	considered or not is not an area that I intend
	to address but the bell cannot be unrung and
	there will be consequences"
	Then if we scroll on, please:
	" we have now given ammunition to those
	attempting to discredit the Horizon system. The
	argument will be there is no smoke without fire
	and we would not have needed to audit a bomb
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	understanding is they will not provide expert
	evidence without large fees being sought. This
	will not do. If the integrity of the system is
	compromised then the consequences will be
	catastrophic for all of us including them. The
	financial consequences of convictions and
	confiscation orders being overturned and
	confidence in the Post Office bookkeeping being
	restored for future prosecutions will be
	astronomical. They should be made to understand
	that this is a firefighting situation and it is
	not just our house that will be burned down if
	the system were compromised."
	Then on to 6, please.
	" we should attend to the following:
	" identify the contested cases, both
	criminal and civil, in which Horizon has been
	challenged identify areas of challenge and
	how we neutralised them. Any expert report
	should be retained for evaluation. An expert
	should be identified and instructed to prepare
	a generic statement which confirms the text of
	the system and why the attacks so far have been
	unfounded. This expert should be deployed in
	all cases where the Horizon system is challenged 140

1		and he should be prepared to be called to reply
2		to defence experts on a case-by-case basis."
3		Just stopping there, and putting aside
4		Mr Bowyer's turns of phrase, did you identify
5		anything problematic with the approach set out.
6	Α.	Well, the first point that occurs is that
7		Mr Bowyer is there identifying a need to
8		consider earlier cases, where issues with
9		Horizon had arisen with a view to an expert now
10		explaining how why those earlier attacks had
11		been unfounded, rather than there being any
12		consideration here of whether the material
13		generated by earlier cases where Horizon had
14		come into attack was material that was capable
15		of undermining the prosecution case, assisting
16		that of another defendant and, therefore, it
17		being material that ought to have been disclosed
18		to them.
19		And the other point is that this, as it
20		describes, is a generic statement to confirm the
21		integrity of the system, rather than asking
22		an expert to examine the integrity of the system
23		in relation to any case that is going to be
24		prosecuted. So it's a bit like the press
25		release that asserted that the system worked
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1		it may be worth I share his view."
1 2		it may be worth I share his view." Yes?
	Α.	
2	A. Q.	Yes?
2 3		Yes.
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2		on in 2012, rather than meeting the
3		prosecution's obligations, both in relation to
4		the reliability of their evidence or disclosure
5		in relation to their case of material that might
6		undermine that, or at least to look whether it
7		was reliable or not, on a case-by-case basis,
8		rather than through a generic statement.
9	Q.	So if we go to the last page of this document,
10		if we just scroll on a bit. We'll see it's
11		dated 11 July 2012, and that seems to be the
12		origin of the idea of a generic statement
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	prepared by an expert. Mr Bowyer doesn't
15		identify that the expert should come from
16		Fujitsu
17	Α.	No.
18	Q.	or the identity of the expert?
19	Α.	No.
20	Q.	Can we go to POL00141396. Can we see at the
21		foot of the page, or halfway down, Mr Cash,
22		a solicitor at Cartwright King, sending that
23		advice over to Jarnail Singh from Mr Bowyer
24		saying:
25		"I know it will be unpalatable, but for what 142
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1		protect the system, rather than to assess the
2		reliability of the fundamental evidence in the
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1	than identifying there would be material that	1
2	needed to be investigated as to whether the	2
3	system was working properly.	3
4	Q. Just before the break, can we look at	4
5	POL00141416, please. An email sorry, if we	5
6	scroll down, please back to the top, please.	6
7	Can we see this is an email, if you scroll down	7
8	a little bit you'll see I think it's from	8
9	Mr Bowyer, Harry, yes?	9 (
10	A. Yes.	10
11	Q. Then to the top, this is its cut off but it's	11
12	dated 6 August. The advice we'd seen was July,	12
13	if you remember.	13
14	A. Yes.	14
15	Q. "This appears to be what we want.	15
16	"Hopefully Helen will confirm that the	16
17	Horizon system has never been successfully	17
18	challenged. I have yet to see any sign of any	18
19	experts briefed on behalf of the defence.	19
20	"When she has completed her exercise she	20
21	should prepare a summary of those cases where	21
22	there is a proper attack on the system rather	22
23	than a gripe that the system is at fault	23
24	(although she should record those cases so that	24
25	we can say that they have been kept under 145	25
1	If we stop there, remember those four	1
2	questions, and then come back after the break to	2
3	see what happened to them and what ended up	3
4	being produced, as a result of them.	4
5	Sir, can we break until 3.30, please.	5
6	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, of course.	6
7	MR BEER: Thank you.	7
8	(3.16 pm)	8
9	(A short break)	9
10	(3.30 pm)	10
11	MR BEER: Sir, can you see and hear us?	11
12	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Yes, thank you.	12
13	MR BEER: Thank you.	13
14	Mr Atkinson, we had just looked at the four	14
15	questions that Mr Bowyer had prepared in his	15
16	email of 6 August. Can we move on to September	16
17	2012 and look at POL00020489. If we scroll to	17
18	the second email down there. Mr Singh says:	18
19	"Andy [that's Andy Cash]	19
20	"Thinking about choice of expert in this	20
21	case. I have in the past instructed Gareth	21
22	Jenkins of Fujitsu in the case of <i>Misra</i> which	22 (
23	incidental was the only challenge on Horizon, he	23
24	provided expertise in dealing with defences	24
25	boundless enquiry into the whole Horizon system.	25
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1		review they will become more numerous as the
2		bandwagon and pikes up speed)."
3		Then this:
4		"The expert will need to address the report
5		to the following issues"
6		And then four issues are identified; can you
7		see that?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	"A description of the Horizon system;
10		"A declaration that it is yet to be attacked
11		successfully;
12		"A summary of the basic attacks made on the
13		system concentrating on any expert reports
14		served in past cases. If there are none, then
15		state that no expert has yet been found by any
16		defence team, civil or criminal, to attack the
17		system (at the moment there seems to be little
18 19		more than griping by defendants that the system must be at fault without saying how).
20		"4. Plainly, like all accounting systems,
20		there is room for human error (Keying in the
22		wrong amounts etc) but the expert should be able
23		to state that innocent human error is unlikely
24		to produce the types of discrepancies of many
25		thousands of pounds over many months."
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1		Perhaps we need to reconsider whether to
2		instruct him as he may be viewed too close to
3		the system but instruct
4		"Somebody entirely independent? Your
5		thoughts please and also whether you or Harry
6		have anybody in mind.
7		"Thank you."
8		Then further, up the page, Mr Bowyer says:
9		"I would have preferred somebody entirely
10		independent but this is such a specialist area
11		that we would be hard pushed to get a report in
12		the timescale we require we might open our
13		expert up to allegations of partiality but his
14		expertise will be unlikely to be challenged."
15		Then there's some timing issues.
16		In the light of that exchange, the Post
17		Office internal lawyers, on the one hand, and
18		the Cartwright King lawyer, on the other, were
19		seemingly aware, would you agree, of Mr Jenkins
20		not being functionally independent?
21	A.	Yes.
22	Q.	Given the breathless tones in which Mr Bowyer's
23 24		memo had earlier been written, as to this being a potential moment of crisis, do you agree that,
24 25		given that significance that was being attached
20		given that significance that was being attached 148

1		to the issue of the instruction of an expert,
2		and this recognition that Mr Jenkins was not
3		functionally independent, it was important that,
4		if Mr Jenkins was instructed, that he should be
5		made to understand that he was subject to a wide
6		range of duties
7	Α.	Yes.
8	Q.	as an expert witness?
9	Α.	Yes, and, in particular, a requirement that he
10		be independent.
11	Q.	What do you mean by that?
12	Α.	Well, it was essential that he were he
13		understood that he was being asked to give his
14		independent opinion about these things, rather
15		than to provide evidence that was mapped out for
16		him or to give an opinion that he was being told
17		to give, in effect.
18	Q.	Can we turn to POL00096978. We can see this is
19		an email of 1 October 2012 to Mr Singh sorry,
20		from Mr Singh to Mr Jenkins. Also included in
21		the distribution list is Penny Thomas of
22		Fujitsu, Hugh Flemington of the Post Office,
23		Martin Smith of Cartwright King. Subject
24		"Horizon Fujitsu Report Very Urgent":
25		"Welcome from your annual leave and your
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1		our report.
2		"You will need to consider the Disclosure
3		officers document/spreadsheet (see attachments)
4		and need to address in your report the following
5		issues"
6		Then cut and pasted into this email is the
7		Harry Bowyer 6 August list of four.
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	Yes?
10		To the extent that it's possible to
11		understand what Mr Singh was asking to be done
12		by this email, do you agree that the email, on
13		any view, omitted any instructions or guidance
14		to Mr Jenkins as to his duties as an expert?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	I think it also omitted reference to any
17		specific prosecution, any specific defendant,
18		any specific branch, nor did it refer to any
19		Horizon data that might be analysed in order to
20		reach conclusions?
21	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	The email says that the report, or Mr Jenkins,
23		will need to address the following issues and
24		there are four of them set out. Was this
25		an appropriate means of instructing Mr Jenkins?
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	assistance advice in the past prosecution cases and I understand you are assisting my colleagues at present. I need your urgent assist judge has this morning ordered the prosecution to have the following report ready to be served within Seven days. On advise Post Office Limited have appointed one of their investigators, Helen Rose, as disclosure officer dealing with Horizon challenges. She has prepared a document/spread sheet detailing all such cases, past and present, approximately 20 in total, although none thus far successfully argued in court. Post Office Limited have been advised to obtain an experts report from Fujitsu UK, the Horizon system developers, confirming the system is robust." Just stopping there, is that the antithesis to the type of instruction that you just
	mentioned?
A. Q.	Yes. "Post Office Limited maintain the system is robust, but in the light of adverse publicity, from legal viewpoint is that defence should be given opportunity to test the system, should they still wish to do so, on consideration of 150
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1		and anything else, again, was telling him what	
2		to say and how to approach it.	
3		And the last, point 4, is almost a script	
4		for him of what to say.	
5		So what would have been appropriate would	
6		have been to identify a series of areas on which	
7		they were asking for his opinion, as	
8		an independent expert rather than telling him	
9		what his opinion was on a series of areas and,	
10		effectively, telling him that he was being	
11		instructed to defend the system and to assert	
12	~	that it didn't have issues.	
13	Q.	Are you able to say whether a person in receipt	
14		of such an instruction, if they knew of issues	
15		or defects that fell outside the four corners of	
16		the four issues that are mentioned, ought	
17		nonetheless to have set them out in any written	
18		document that was a reply to this email?	
19	Α.	Yes, at the very least, you would have expected	
20 21		anyone who was aware of issues with the system	
21		to say, "These are the issues with the system	
22		that I ought to address in this context". And	
23 24		so if, by way of example, you were aware of the bug in the system that you had had meetings	
24 25		about in 2010, you ought to have been flagging	
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1		incomplete or perhaps misleading.	
1 2	Q.	Would you agree that, in any event, the four	
3	ч.	specific questions do not ask Mr Jenkins to	
4		provide a general overview of software issues?	
5	Α.	They're asking him to provide a generic	
6		statement about the system. Certainly, my	
7		reading of it, I wouldn't see that as excluding	
8		software issues but, if it was unclear, then one	
9		could ask.	
10	Q.	What about hardware issues: same answer?	
11	<u>ц</u> . А.	Same answer.	
12	Q.	What would you say to the suggestion that the	
13	ч.	focus of this email requires Mr Jenkins himself	
14		to focus on defence-led challenges, in the	
15		course of previous litigation, and nothing else?	
16	Α.	Well, the he was clearly being asked to deal	
17		with defence-led issues in relation to question	
18		3, but these was also being asked more generally	
19		to provided support for the Post Office view	
20		that the system was robust. That's clear from	
20		the paragraph at the top of the page.	
22		He would also, by this point in 2012, have	
23		been aware of how wide-ranging defence	
24		questioning in relation to the operation of the	
25		system could be, because he had been questioned	
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1		that up in 2012.
2	Q.	Even if that wasn't a bug which constituted
3		a successful attack by a defendant upon the
4		system or a bug that had been mentioned in
5		an expert report served in a past civil or
6		criminal case?
7	Α.	Well, at the very least, if you're being asked
8		to put together a report that would go to court
9		and which you would potentially have to answer
10		to, in court, you would be asking for guidance
11		as to what, if anything, you needed to say about
12		X that you were aware of, that was an issue with
13		the system, that was beyond a typing error or
14		griping.
15	Q.	What would you say to the suggestion that, to
16		the extent that this was an instruction to
17		a witness, it was to produce a report that
18		addressed and only addressed the four specific
19		questions as narrowly formulated by Mr Bowyer?
20	Α.	I think I would say to that that, if you were
21	/	putting your name to a declaration of truth in
22		relation to this, at the very least, you would
23		be questioning whether a statement that just
23		answered those four points and said nothing
25		else, when you knew there was more, was
20		154
1		in the case of Ms Misra and that had been
2		wide-ranging questioning.
3		So, at the very least, he would have had
4		questions in his mind as to what needed this
4 5		needed to cover, I would have thought.
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6 7	Q.	Taking a step back, however, for a person that
		was not, by training or profession, an expert
8 9		witness, would you agree that, as a letter or document of instruction, this was woefully
		, ,
10		inadequate?
11	A.	Yes.
12	Q.	Mr Jenkins duly produced a draft report
13		responding to the four Bowyer questions, and
14		this was circulated, amongst others, at
15		Cartwright King on 2 October. If we look,
16		please, at POL00096997. If we scroll down,
17		please. Keep scrolling, please. If we just
18		scroll up to get the date. Harry Bowyer to
19		Martin Smith and Andy Cash, so internal to
20		Cartwright King at the moment:
21		"At first sight this/these look like a good
22		base upon which are reports can be based (as
23		most are fishing expeditions they will do in
24		their current form)

- 24 their current form).
- 25 "I have edited the last report ... because 156

1		as it currently stands it is an invitation for
2		requests for further disclosure Can you put
3		this past Mr Jenkins.
4		"Can you draft generic Section 9 statements
5		for the witness to produce the report(s). This
6		must set out his expertise to comment on the
7		system both the old and new we have to
8		establish his right to speak an expert.
9		"I am in favour of the descriptive words
10		being added to the diagram
11		"Beyond that keep it simple the secret
12 13		here will be to respond to the defence expert
13 14		report rather than try to anticipate every rock to be thrown at us unless they be obvious
14		from the defence statement/interviews.
16		"If there is a specific challenge in a case
17		then the statement and the report can be tweaked
18		to cover the eventuality.
19		"My view is that most challenges to the
20		Horizon system should now vanish away before
20		trial."
22		This seems to involve a discussion amongst
23		the Cartwright King lawyers that defence cases
24		that had raised Horizon issues were fishing
25		expeditions?
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1		perhaps you could look at your previous
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2 3		statement and let me have your qualifications, credentials, experiences, knowledge, expertise
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2	Q.	It appears to proceed on the basis that the only
3		point that needed to be established still
4		' further was Mr Jenkins' qualification to give
5		an expert report?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	It doesn't ensure or suggest "We now need to
8		ensure that Mr Jenkins was properly instructed
9		as an expert"?
10	Α.	No, and doesn't refer to the need for him to
11		provide a declaration of the kind envisaged by
12		the rules in relation to his duties as
13		an expert, either.
14	Q.	Can we look, please, at POL00096999. If we
15		scroll down, please, and still further.
16		Mr Jenkins:
17		"Dear Jarnail,
18		"Attached are the two existing reports
19		I mentioned regarding Horizon and Horizon Online
20		integrity."
21		They're a separate issue. Then further up,
22		Mr Singh:
23		"Thank you for forwarding your report. As
24		in previous cases you kindly assisted in your
25		report needs to be put in a statement format, 158
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4		So it appears that Mr Jenkins is saying,	4
5		"I want the documents that I previously	5
6		prepared, the two reports, to be revealed"	6
7	Δ	Yes.	7
, 8	Q.	"and as exhibits to my witness statement"?	8
9	Δ.	Yes.	9
10	Q.	Can we look, please, at FUJ00153812.	10
11		"Please find draft statement"	11
12		This the 4th now at 11.43:	12
13		" for you to consider, amend and return	13
14		" "	14
15		Then, lastly, FUJ00123982. The 5th,	15
16		Ms Jennings:	16
17		"Please find attached the Section 9 witness	17
18		statement. It was not as simple as just cutting	18
19		and pasting"	19
20		In that final draft of the witness statement	20
21		that was sent across, the words "I understand	21
22		that my role is to assist the court" had been	22
23		added by either the Post Office or Cartwright	23
24		King. Would you agree that those words, without	24
25		more, were insufficient to satisfy the	25
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1		"I'm not aware of any outstanding cases	1
2		which I might be involved in."	2
3		Further up the page, Ms Jennings replies:	3
4		"This is the one that you supplied the	4
5		expert report and witness statement for the week	5
6		before last."	6
7		I think that's a reference to the generic	7
8		witness statement:	8
9		"Apologies for not explaining that properly	9
10		in the previous email. It was a blanket email	10
11		for all witnesses! It is unclear at this stage	11
12		who will be required as witnesses and which	12
13		evidence will be accepted without the need for	13
14		attendance."	14
15		Then the rest of it is concerned with Andy,	15
16		and then scroll up the page, please:	16
17		"[Thank you] for the clarification. I had	17
18		not understood that that related to a specific	18
19		Case"	19
20		I think that's the generic witness	20
21		statement:	21
22		" I thought that was a general statement.	22
23		If I am required to go to court for that,	23
24 25		I think I need to have some more background on	24
25		the specific case and exactly what is being 163	25
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1		requirements arising on an expert report, either
2		at common law or under the Criminal Procedure
3		Rules.
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	The statement as served did not include
6		a statement that Mr Jenkins had complied with
7		his duty to the court to provide independent
8		assistance by way of objective and unbiased
9		opinion, in relation to matters within his
10		expertise. Was that cured by the inclusion of
11		the words "I understand that my role is to
12		assist the court"?
13	Α.	No.
14	Q.	Can we look, please, at POL00097061, and scroll
15		down, please.
16		This is a generic email, it seems, that goes
17		out from Sharron Jennings to a series of
18		witnesses in the Patel case, including
19		Mr Jenkins: the case is up for trial at
20		Peterborough Crown Court but has been put back
20		until 14 January and is listed for a seven-day
22		trial.
22		Then scroll up, please. Mr Jenkins replies:
23 24		"Sorry, but I'm not aware of this case or
		what might be required of me
25		162
1		alleged. I appreciate that is not covered by my
2		statement, but if I need to be an expert
3		witness, I need to understand what is happening.
4		"Please note that if I am required to do
5		anything further on this, some commercial
6		arrangements will need to be made to cover my
7		time and costs since I am not covered by the
8		normal Security Service that [the Post Office]
9		pays for. Perhaps you can sort out the
10		details", et cetera.
11		Then up the page, please, we can see that
12		Ms Jennings replies to Mr Jenkins amongst
13		a large collection of other people, but most
14		specifically addresses her reply to Post Office
15		Security, the generic email address:
16		"There appears to have been some sort of
17		confusion regarding the trail of emails below.
18		Gareth was asked to supply an expert report on
19		Horizon integrity by the Legal Team and I was
20		asked to input this onto a Section 9 statement
21		in order to produce it in court. Gareth was not
22		aware that this related to a specific case and
23		was also not aware that he would be required in
24		court. I have spoken to Gareth and he is happy
25		to attend but as explained below it is over and
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- deciding whether to seek material from a third party?A. In general terms, that's right, yes.Q. You identify in various places across your
- Volume 2 report instances where cost appears to
- have been a factor in decision making?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. Was this exchange amongst those areas of9 concern?
- A. I don't think I had seen -- in fact, I'm looking
 at how they're described, I hadn't seen this
- 2 exchange and so, no, it wasn't.
- 3 Q. That can come down. Thank you.
 4 During your oral evidence to the Inquiry,
 5 again back on 6 October, you stated that, when
 6 making decisions on disclosure, the prosecutor
- 7 should not restrictively analyse the case of
- 8 a defendant, not least because the defence might
- 9 not be able to identify something that they
- 20 don't know anything about.
- A. No, and the Attorney General's Guidelines, byway of example, make that clear.
- 23 Q. You, I think, have seen a range of
- 4 correspondence amongst Post Office lawyers and
- 25 between Post Office lawyers and Investigators, 166

1		that you're presently addressing, namely whether
2		it's for the defendant to, in these Horizon
3		cases, identify an issue with Horizon before the
4		prosecutor investigates it?
5	Α.	It's putting the onus on the defence to identify
6		the specific respect in relation to which the
7		Horizon system was not reliable, rather than
8		recognising the obligation on the prosecution to
9		satisfy itself and then others as to the
10		reliability of the system that underpinned its
11		prosecution.
12	Q.	If we scroll up, please thank you.
13		Mr Jenkins says:
14		"Can't you use the report I have already
15		sent you? There is no mention of the case
16		[that's Khayyam Ishaq] on the report.
17		"You should really be addressed such
18		requests through Post Office Limited rather than
19		directly to myself.
20		" there is no commercial cover in place
21		for me to spend time on such activities"
22		Then up, please. James Davidson, a delivery
23		executive at Fujitsu, says:
24		"I am concerned at the engagement approach
25		being taken here, we are fully on board to 168

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2		support but all approaches must come through
		Post Office by the correct change process."
3 4		Then up, keep going, please, then a reply to
4		both James Davidson and Gareth Jenkins:
5		"Apologies if I have approached this in
6		an unconventional way."
7		Second paragraph:
8		"In response to your email Gareth, I do
9		intend to use the report that you have already
10		provided."
11		Then this:
12		"It doesn't matter that you have not
13		mentioned a specific case in your report, as
14		there has not been any specific criticisms
15		raised by any of the defendants provided in my
16		list of cases. It would be a different scenario
17		if there had been specific criticisms made, as
18		your report would have to respond to that
19		particular issue."
20		Does that approach evidence the advice that
21		you were managing a moment ago?
22	Α.	
23		being interviewed, may have identified that they
24		were experiencing problems. They may even have
25		said something about the circumstances in which 169
1 2 3		disclosure. It's paragraph 666 of your second report, which is on page 238. You say: " there was no real discussion that
4		I have seen, beyond this discussion as to cost
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6		This discussion as to cost is referring back
7		to some previous paragraphs, in particular
8		concerning the Seema Misra case, where the cost
9		of obtaining disclosure was a topic of
10		discussion.
11	Α.	Yes.
	Q.	" there was no real discussion that I have
12		seen, beyond this discussion as to cost, of the
12 13		relationship between the Post Office and
13		Fujitsu, in relation to the obtaining and
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1		they were identifying those problems or the
2		period during which they were experiencing those
3		problems and there was then a responsibility on
4		the investigation and the prosecution to test
5		that to see if there was something that explains
6		how that might have been, either to rebut it, or
7		to identify material that was capable of
8		supporting it. That is a specific exercise for
9		a specific case, based on specific facts and
10		based more particularly on specific data.
11		It is not something that doesn't matter
12		because the subpostmaster wasn't able to give
13		technical chapter and verse as to exactly what
14		had gone on.
15	Q.	Would you consider this to be a further example
16		of the Post Office restricting its evidence and
17		its disclosure obligations by reference to the
18		way in which the defence case was put?
19	Α.	Yes.
20	Q.	Thank you. That can come down.
21	<u>ц</u> .	It was not identifying a reasonable line of
22	Π.	inquiry and it was not grappling with their
23		disclosure obligations.
24	Q.	Thank you. Can we turn to topic 6, please,
25	ч.	which is a wider issue of third-party
20		170
1		discussion between Investigator and prosecutor,
2		as recognising the need to obtain material from
3		the third party, Fujitsu, because it was
4		potentially relevant, either as evidence or as
5		disclosure, as to the reliability of the system
6		that was operated by Fujitsu.
7	Q.	Did you identify any examples or occasions on
8		which the Post Office made clear to Fujitsu the
9		nature and scope of its, the Post Office's,
10		disclosure obligations?
11	Α.	No.
12	Q.	As to its, the Post Office's, obligations to
13		obtain material from third parties such as
14		Fujitsu?
15	Α.	No.
16	Q.	As to the categories of material that Fujitsu
17	۹.	held and which were potentially relevant for at
18		least consideration for disclosure in
10		a prosecution?
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20 21	Α.	No, and, as part of that, under the Attorney
21 22		General's Guidelines, there was a requirement on
22		the prosecutor and investigation to notify
23		a third party that might have material that it
24		might need to seek, to ask it to retain the

25 material, at the very least.

1	Q.	Well, that's where I was going next, given that
2		requirement of notification under the AG's
3		Guidelines, did you see any communications that
4		at least put Fujitsu on notice as to its
5		retention policies, given that the data that it
6		was producing may be needed in a prosecution?
7	Α.	No.
8	Q.	Thank you. Can we turn to topic 7, please,
9		disclosure and unused material. Way back in
10		paragraph 17 of your report, which is on
11		page 12, you say:
12		"In procedural terms"
13		Sorry:
14		"There was, in particular, failures of
15		disclosure in relation to Horizon data. This
16		included the failure to close it underlying
17		material to that relied on, including ARQ data,
18		either at all or to the extent necessary. The
19		attitude that appears to have informed
20		disclosure was the belief that the defence
21		should identify with clear focus what the
22		problems [were]."
23		I'm sorry I'm reading from 18.
24	Α.	Yes.
25	Q.	"That was a flawed approach."
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1		defence case and, therefore, necessarily
2		involved consideration of material that might
3		undermine a prosecution?
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	Would you agree that, in the light of those
6		requirements of the Code, it's difficult to see
7		how a prosecutor could apply the Full Code Test,
8		if they haven't seen a Schedule of Unused
9		Material, at the point at which they're deciding
10		on charge?
11	Α.	Ordinarily, you would expect that they would,
12		and the alternative would be for them to be
13		provided with all the unused material, instead
14		of a schedule of it. But they'd have to have
15		one or the other.
16	Q.	Would you, in that alternative way, agree that
17		that would necessarily involve some rigorous
18		means of ensuring that an appropriate search had
19		been carried out by the Investigator, with
20		appropriate diligence, and that the material
21		which might undermine the prosecution case or
22		assist the defence had itself been provided to
23		the prosecutor?
24	Α.	You would expect them to check what they were
24 25	Α.	You would expect them to check what they were given and, if it didn't fulfil the requirements

	Then going back to 17:
	"In procedural terms, the Disclosure
	Officer, who was usually also the Investigator,
	usually did prepare Schedules of Unused
	Material. These were often inadequate in terms
	of their content and description, and there is
	little evidence that they were reviewed, as
	required, by the prosecutor. Decisions as to
	disclosure from the schedules were flawed or
	overly restrictive. In some cases this position
	was improved by action from trial counsel."
	The Full Code Test, under the Code for Crown
	Prosecutors required, is this right,
	a prosecutor to consider whether reasonable
	lines of inquiry had been pursued?
Α.	Yes, the Code in that respect evolved over time,
	and that requirement became clearer with each
	iteration.
Q.	It required the prosecutor to consider whether
	any further evidence or material was likely to
	affect the application of the Full Code Test,
	whether in favour or against the prosecution?
A.	Yes.
Q.	The evidential stage and I think this applied
	at all times required a consideration of the
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	that you've just set out, then they should be
	going back to the Investigator requiring it,
	rather than making a decision without it.
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Q.	So the point I'm exploring with you is that, at the point of deciding on charge, advising on
•	charge, and we looked at a run of
	Yes.
Q.	advices on charge earlier, at that point,
	should the prosecutor either have material
	equivalent to unused material or a Schedule of
	equivalent to unused material or a Schedule of Unused Material?
А.	equivalent to unused material or a Schedule of Unused Material? Yes, or should be asking for it if it's not been
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	Q.

- **A.** Yes.
- **Q.** But then, if we scroll down, if we see under the 176

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5 **A**.

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7 A. Yes.

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19 Q. Yes.

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say:

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given?

ever prepared after committal and then only in

the event that a not guilty plea was indicated.

Q. In terms of provision of the Schedules of Unused

Material, is it right that the law only required

whether there was a sufficiency of evidence, was that in accordance with or a departure from good

provided to the prosecutor, either the schedules

schedule before a charging decision was made,

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Was there any evidence in the cases that you saw

that any common law pre-committal disclosure was

or the material that would otherwise be on the

Q. I should ask that question in a better way.

those to be provided to a defendant,

Q. In relation to the prosecution approach to

A. Sorry, for them to be provided to the

A. Good practice would require that they were

rather than after that point in time.

Q. If we look, for example at the Josephine

A. It wasn't very clear to me what was provided

pre-committal at all, in terms of what was

a separate hearing, for example. So, no,

Q. Is that a cross-reference back to a point you

made very early on, that the material was

and served at the point of the initiation of

A. Yes, so there was no material in any of these

for a summons or what was provided to the

like when they were served, you tell us in

"Such schedules, for example of

non-sensitive unused material (equivalent to

defence pre-the service of a committal bundle. In terms of what the schedules, in fact, looked

paragraph 654 of your report on page 233, you

process against the defendant?

relatively lacking in terms of what was created

cases that I saw as to what was provided to the Magistrates Courts when the application was made

I can't say what was given.

provided at the first appearance, if that was

what the law required?

It would be --

post-committal? **A.** To a defendant, yes.

practice?

prosecutor?

Is that approach consistent or inconsistent with

1		numbered paragraphs, two paragraphs on,
2		beginning "You will be aware"?
3	Α.	Yes.
4	Q.	"You will be aware of the provisions of the
5		[CPIA] concerning disclosure paragraph 4.10
6		of the Security Community Codes of Practice and
7		also paragraph 5(5.1-5.3) of the Codes. Please
8		let me have the necessary information on forms
9		[C, D and E]. The schedules must be signed."
10		That refers, amongst other things, to the
11		Schedule of Unused Material, Non-Sensitive,
12		Schedule of Unused Material Sensitive and the
13		Disclosure Officer's report, those three form
14		references?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	So it appears, in this case, that advice was
17		being given as to sufficiency of evidence before
18		unused material schedules had been provided to
19		the reviewing lawyer?
20	Α.	Yes
21	Q.	We've heard evidence from Mr Utting, that was on
22	<u> </u>	17 November this year, at page 104 of the
23		transcript, and from Ms Brander, Ruth Brander,
24		on 29 November 2023 at pages 25 and 26 and 158
25		to 160, that unused material schedules were only
20		177
1		Hamilton case, I'm going to pick some other
2		examples here, POL00064235. We can see
3		a Disclosure Officer's report, if we scroll
4		down. I think this should be dated 3 January
5		2007. Ms Hamilton's first appearance in the
6		Magistrates Court was 6 December 2006, and so it
7		post-dates it by a month or so.
8		So acceptable from a service upon defence
9		perspective but not good practice in relation to
10		a prosecutor; is that right?
11	Α.	That's right, yes.
12	Q.	You helped us in your first report about
13		a common law duty of disclosure, which arose
14		prior to the initial duty of first stage
15		disclosure under section 3 of the CPIA. Do you
16		remember a cross-reference to the case of Lee
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	namely a prosecutor needing to be alive to
19		the need to make advance disclosure of material
20		of which he is aware, which might enable
21		a defendant to make a pre-committal application,
22		including a pre-committal application to
23		dismiss. Was there any evidence in the cases
24		that you saw that that duty was recognised?
25	Α.	No.

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1		That's a cross-reference to the Manual of	1
2		Guidance series of forms	2
3	A.	Yes.	3
4	Q.	used by the police service and the Crown	4
5		Prosecution Service?	5
6	A.	Yes.	6
7	Q.	" were drawn up by the Disclosure Officer	7
8		who, where named, was also the Investigator.	8
9		Such schedules were quite short, and mainly	9
10		included correspondence and documentation	10
11		relating to the interview process. They lacked	11
12		any reference to the underlying raw accounts	12
13		data (to the extent that this was not included	13
14		in the served evidence) usually no reference	14
15		to any previous complaints or discussions by the	15
16		defendants with managers or helplines. This	16
17		applied in cases where the defendant complained	17
18		about the system, or referred to such complaints	18
19		and discussions as much as where they had not."	19
20		So schedules were short.	20
21	Α.	Yes.	21
22	Q.	The preponderance of material, is this right,	22
23		was about the interview process?	23
24	Α.	And correspondence at the time of the interview,	24
25		yes.	25
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1		But it was a continuum of missed opportunity in	1
2		that respect.	2
3	Q.	Thank you.	3
4		In terms of review by a prosecuting lawyer,	4
5		you address this further down the page in your	5
6		paragraph 656. You say:	6
7		"In the main, the unused schedules I have	7
8		seen did not show on their face any evidence of	8
9		a review by the prosecutor having occurred.	9
10		This makes it difficult to be satisfied this	10
11		important task was undertaken. [You] accept	11
12		that this may, at least in some cases, have been	12
13		an omission of annotation rather than of	13
14		review."	14
15		Are you saying there that this may be a case	15
16		where reviewing lawyers had reviewed the	16
17		schedules but hadn't marked them in a way to	17
18		show that they had done so, ie counter signing	18
19		them?	19
20	Α.	So it varies. There were some cases, in	20
21		fairness, where there were annotations on the	21
22		face of the schedule that showed that the lawyer	22
23		had reviewed it and come to a view as to	23
24		disclosure, which is what was required under the	24
25		CPIA Code, under the Attorney General's 183	25

on IT Inquiry 18 Decer				
1	Q.	Overall, were the contents of the schedules as		
2		you would have expected?		
3	Α.	That which was there, generally speaking, was		
4		correctly there but there was an awful lot that		
5		wasn't there that should have been.		
6	Q.	Was it a short distance or a very longer way		
7		from what you expected?		
8	Α.	The difficulty in answering that is that it may		
9		well have been that things were not listed as		
10		material in the prosecution's possession that		
11		were not being relied on in evidence, so unused		
12		material that was not being listed because it		
13		didn't exist because they hadn't followed		
14		through the reasonable lines of inquiry that		
15		would have led to them having it. So the two		
16		really are connected.		
17		So for example, they would not include		
18		reference to ARQ data on the unused schedule		
19		because they hadn't asked for the ARQ data, and		
20		so they didn't have the ARQ data, as unused		
21		material but, clearly, they should have followed		
22		that reasonable line of inquiry, therefore they		
23		should have had the data, therefore they should		
24		have included it on the unused schedule and		
25		therefore the unused schedule was deficient. 182		
1		Guidelines. There were other cases where there		
2		was evidence that the lawyer had looked at the		
3		schedule through other documentation, be it, in		
4		the case of Mr Mahmood, there was a memorandu		
5		from the lawyer asking the Investigator what was		
6		disclosable from the schedule, which was		
7		an interesting approach but at least showed that		
8		they had registered they had the schedule.		
9		And there were cases where there was		
10		an accompanying letter that I saw that was sent		
11		to the defence with the schedule that told the		

2		was evidence that the lawyer had looked at the
3		schedule through other documentation, be it, in
4		the case of Mr Mahmood, there was a memorandum
5		from the lawyer asking the Investigator what was
6		disclosable from the schedule, which was
7		an interesting approach but at least showed that
8		they had registered they had the schedule.
9		And there were cases where there was
10		an accompanying letter that I saw that was sent
11		to the defence with the schedule that told the
12		defence that there was nothing on the schedule
13		that was disclosable, which I took to be
14		an indication that the lawyer had reviewed it
15		and come to that conclusion.
16		But in the majority of cases, there was none
17		of that and nothing on the face of the schedule
18		to show, one way or the other, whether they had
19		reviewed it or not. But, clearly, they should
20		have done.
21	Q.	You say, over the page in paragraph 657, that:
22		"The stance [that's the stance in the
23		Josephine Hamilton case that nothing was
24		disclosable] appears to have been adopted in
25		a number of other cases, whether on the schedule 184

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1		itself, or more often accompanying	1	A. Not that I could see, no.
2		correspondence indicated that everything listed	2	MR BEER: Sir, thank you. I'm about to move to
3		in the schedule was clearly not disclosable	3	topic 8, cross-disclosure of Horizon issues.
4		('CND')."	4	I wonder whether that might be an appropriate
5		You say:	5	moment to break for the day?
6		"In my view, such an assessment was often in	6	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Certainly.
7		error"	7	All right, thank you very much for answering
8		Why was that so?	8	all those questions, Mr Atkinson. I will see
9	Α.	l identify, when I have a schedule and	9	you in the morning, 10.00 tomorrow?
10		conclusion in the individual cases, there were	10	MR BEER: Yes, please, sir. Thank you very much.
11		instances of material that was within	11	SIR WYN WILLIAMS: Fine.
12		an all-embracing, clearly not disclosable,	12	MR BEER: Thank you.
13		decision that, seemed to me, on my, I accept,	13	(4.31 pm)
14		limited reading of the material, clearly was	14	(The hearing adjourned until 10.00 am
15		disclosable because it was, on the face of it,	15	on the following day)
16		material that undermined the prosecution case or	16	
17		assisted the defence case. It included things	17	
18		that now are recognised within the present	18	
19		version of the Attorney General's Guidelines are	19	
20		standard disclosure, for example interview	20	
21		tapes.	21	
22	Q.	Did this position change across the relevant	22	
23		period, ie did the 2010 policy change have any	23	
24		effect on the practice adopted of saying	24	
25		everything is not disclosable?	25	
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