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To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re:
Date: 29 January 2018 09:42:05
Attachments: [Draft of Final QEUH Jan 2018 Amend 26-01-18 \(3\).docx](#)
[Draft of Final RJE 26-01-2018 \(2\).docx](#)

Hi [REDACTED]

Attached the two draft reports reviewed in the context of comments and following discussion with Iain. Could you please check and if there are no further comments I will send as final report PDF copies for the final record.

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From: [REDACTED] @nhs [REDACTED]
Sent: 25 January 2018 17:46
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

Thanks [REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED] @gcu.ac.uk]
Sent: 25 January 2018 17:45
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re:

Apologies I discussed points with [REDACTED] by phone today. We will close by tomorrow morning or tonight so that you can progress subject to agreement of fine tuning.

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On 25 Jan 2018, at 16:32, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@gcu.ac.uk> wrote:

[REDACTED],

I've tried to get back to you on both your land line and mobile.

I left messages on both that Tony is working on this just now and we had a brief discussion around lunch time. Whilst I fully understand your time constraints I can't produce a draft until I get more feedback from [REDACTED]

Regards,

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From: CONNOLLY, Bill (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND) <[REDACTED]@nhs.net>
Sent: 25 January 2018 16:12
To: Sanderson, Iain; Kilpatrick, Tony
Cc: STEELE, Tom (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND); CONNOLLY, John (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Subject: RE:

Tony/Iain

We are under intense time pressure to provide a brief for Scottish Government prior to the Ministerial Group meeting next week. If you are both happy with the content of the reports for both hospitals could you send them on in draft form so that we have an electronic copy. The report could then be fine tuned before final issue.

Iain

I tried to call you to discuss and hopefully this will explain the reasons for my comments;

I used the old document as I only have a paper copy of the latest version.

The ACM comment being regarded as a rainscreen cladding is perhaps limited to NHS staff as well as Scottish Government cabinet members and officials who are only aware of cladding in relation to recent events and it is imperative that we relay technical information within the introduction in a manner they will follow. Additionally NHS Lothian have informed Scottish Government that they do not have ACM but do have sandwich panels. It is from that point of view that I included the comment.

I take your point re hypothesising about the Grenfell fire, however I thought it would read better as 'they are not the only contributory factor.' Remove - **and they may not be the most significant factor**. I think this removes any implication that other factors may be more significant in the absence of any evidence, whilst still making your point.

Regards

Bill

From: Sanderson, Iain [REDACTED]@qcu.ac.uk]
Sent: 23 January 2018 14:58
To: CONNOLLY, Bill (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Cc: Kilpatrick, Tony; STEELE, Tom (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Subject: Re:

Bill,

I've taken a break from marking and read over your comments on the Qualitative Report. I would point out that you have commented on a document that has now been changed. However, the areas that you comment on remain the same. Where you state "The term ACM is now associated with aluminium rainscreen cladding" you would need to provide me with the source of your information on this. Also where you state "The BRE tests with combustible panels indicated that the ACM was the main reason for fire spread". The report is in relation to hypothesising about the Grenfell Tower fire and to the best of my knowledge there is no information, certainly in the public domain, appertaining to tests in relation to the Grenfell Tower fire.

Regards,

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Sent: 23 January 2018 14:26
To: Sanderson, Iain
Subject: RE:

Thanks Iain

We can have a discussion after you talk with Tony. I will give you a call tomorrow.

Bill

From: Sanderson, Iain [REDACTED]@qcu.ac.uk]
Sent: 23 January 2018 14:21
To: CONNOLLY, Bill (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Cc: Kilpatrick, Tony; STEELE, Tom (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND); CONNOLLY, John (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Subject: Re:

Hi Bill,

I would need to discuss your suggested 'cover piece' with Tony as some of what you state is not in the final draft as it stands. I have attached what I have put together as an Executive Summary for the QEUH that Tony has but I've not heard back from him as yet.

Regards,

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Sent: 23 January 2018 14:01
To: Sanderson, Iain
Cc: Kilpatrick, Tony; STEELE, Tom (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND); CONNOLLY, John (NHS NATIONAL SERVICES SCOTLAND)
Subject:

Hi Iain

Please find suggested text for a cover piece for both reports.
I have also made a couple of suggestions on the qualitative assessment.

The following make reference to potential fire spread on the RIE cladding which in conjunction with discussions with Tony, HFS advised NHS Lothian and Scottish Government that the cladding would not contribute to fire spread and would not continue to burn unless there was a sustained fuel source.

Attachment – Computer Fire Modelling Point 6 highlighted
Attachment - Re RIE modelling

My understanding was that although there was some information outstanding regarding the RIE, it did not materially affect the report outcome. However if you do require any salient information from NHS Lothian, let me know and I will pursue it.

Please get in touch if you wish to discuss any aspect.

Thanks
Bill

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