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Dear Mr. Price.

Child Abuse Allegations Staffordshire County Council Children's Home

In connection with the enquiries into allegations of child abuse which my officers have been investigating since July, 1990, I have to inform you that following presentation of the case files to the Crown Prosecution Service for consideration I have now received a response from the Chief Crown Prosecutor for Staffordshire.

I enclose a copy of his letter to me, in which you will see that it is the opinion of the Director of Public Prosecutions at Crown Prosecution Service Headquarters that there is no evidence to warrant proceedings against anyone.

I shall now be notifying those persons having a direct interest in the investigation, namely the Ministry of Health and Social Services; Kevin Williams, solicitor representing young people concerned in the Pin-Down enquiry and, of course, the persons who have been interviewed and those members of the Staffordshire Social Services Department against whom the allegations were made.

Yours sincerely

(C.H. XELLY) Chief Constable

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