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Dear Christine,

Petition PE1370: Justice for Megrahi

Thank you for your letter of 28 April 2015 seeking my view on the petitioners' suggestion of appointing an independent prosecutor to consider the forthcoming Police Service of Scotland report.

I had anticipated this as a potential issue some time ago given my involvement in the investigation and the nature of the allegations which have been made. Arrangements were therefore put in place for independent Crown Counsel who has not been involved in the Lockerbie case to deal with this matter if and when the need arises.

I hope this is helpful.

*Best wishes,
Frank.*

FRANK MULHOLLAND QC



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