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Dear Mr Naseem,

Investigation into the shooting of Mark Duggan (on-going re-opening assessment)

Thank you for your letter of 16 December 2020 regarding potential re-opening of the above investigation.

We write to provide you with additional new information to supplement the material you have received from Forensic Architecture. These are:

- 1. Dr Duncan Woods' report dated 1 August 2019, produced for the civil claim. This provides an overview of the forensic evidence in relation to the gun and sock that were found in the area adjacent to the site of the shooting.
- 2. Ms Amy Pullen's study abstract for tests carried out in 2019, produced for research at the University of Otago. These tests used the same bullet and weapon as used in the shooting of Mark Duggan. The results showed that there is no significant deflection of the bullet's trajectory in the chest by hitting the rib. This should assist in re-investigating Mark Duggan's likely body position at the time that the bullet hit his chest, and also assist in establishing that the first shot was to his arm and the second shot to his chest. We understand that the study has been submitted for publication, but has not yet been published, so we have permission only to share the abstract at this stage.

Yours sincerely,

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