

WRITTEN MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Update on the Review of support for those affected by contaminated blood

Tuesday 21 December 2010

The Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department of Health (Anne Milton): On 14 October 2010, I issued a written ministerial statement, Official Report, cols 30-31ws, announcing a review of aspects of support available to individuals infected with hepatitis C and/or HIV by NHS-supplied blood transfusions or blood products. In that statement, I said I expected to be able to report the outcome of this work and my intentions by the end of 2010. The review has been completed and submitted to Ministers, and I will update the House early in January when I publish the report.