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To Whom It May Concern:

Re Private Healthcare Market Investigation

I am a consultant paediatric and neonatal surgeon and have had admitting rights to the Harley Street Clinic for some years now. I would like to reassure you that this HCA organisation functions to the highest quality standards in all aspects of both clinical and managerial governance. I am reassured by the investment the hospital and organisation continues to make in improving the standard of care for paediatric patients. The consultant management relationship is an engaging one and one that I have taken many examples to use in my NHS practice.

Any reduction in the competitive process that ensures high quality health care will be a significant problem to the current set up in London.