

Each Member of the Society

4<sup>th</sup> March 2015

I refer to my circular of the 20<sup>th</sup> February 2015 appraising you that I, and the Management Committee, had become aware that the Society was under investigation by the Garda Bureau of Fraud Investigation on foot of a complaint made by our fellow committee member, Mr. Michael (Mick) Keane.

I am now delighted to inform you that we have received confirmation that GBFI are satisfied that there is no evidence of any criminality arising from the complaints made by Mr Keane. In my previous circular I, and the Management Committee, were anxious to assure you that this was bound to be the outcome of any investigation and we are happy to be able to confirm this and within such a relatively short space of time.

The Office of the Commissioner of An Garda Síochána has advised the Society that further correspondence has issued to the Public Accounts Committee which confirms the above position. This letter includes a request that their website be corrected to reflect the current position.

The Management Committee were very concerned about the potential damage to the reputation of the Society. We trust that these developments restore the Society to the position it values among both its members and the various agencies with whom it does business.

The Society can now return to the business of continuing to deliver a good quality health insurance product at the most competitive price possible to you the members.

Owen Connell

Secretary