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to Informant in Private Complaint

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Case/File No.

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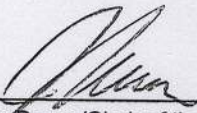
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Part I: (to be completed by Informant)

Allegations

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Postal Code M4C1R8 Telephone (647) 231-2001 Email info@AnthonyCarrPsychic.com  
Name(s) of Accused Dr. Michael Sklar Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address c/o 30 Bond Street City/Town Toronto  
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Doctor at St. Michael's Hospital

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- ☐ pick up at the criminal counter at the courthouse.

Particulars of Offence:

Date 2023/07/21 - 2023/07/23 Location St. Michael's Hospital 30 Bond St Toronto M5B 1W8

Offence(s) Alleged

I will say *(Please provide sufficient details of the offence(s) to support an Information to be drafted)*

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Signature of Informant

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pg 18 - 07:09 - in progress Levothyroxine (thyroid med) Jade Sullivan MD signed

(full of various medications ?????)

7/22 07:48 EXAM (x-ray) Bowel obstruction ? consider CT - Kohammed Alahmari MD

pg 9 - 7/22- 08:30 - discontinue Ceftriaxone (treat/prevent bacterial infections) but administered

pg 16 - 08:49 - discontinue CT scan

Jade Sullivan MD signed

pg 15 - 7/22- 09:58 - bed assigned

7/22 11:05 ECG Heart rate 93 bpm

Technician - Karen Konieczny

3 of 4 7/22 (12:43) BP 118/80 at 12:46 and 13:21 [Frances Ramos RPN & Lanfang Gu]

Seema Marwaha

12:46 waiting for CT - patient received from emerg

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Lanfang Gu RN

[NOTE\* The above was absolutely a falsified entry, as this was not discussed with me, her SDM, and in fact it was made clear by me on multiple occasions that she be "resuscitated at all costs" (Code 20 ) using all available methods.]

(Use additional paper, if necessary)



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1 of 4 7/22 18:25 diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 19:02 daughter arrived Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 19:04 BP 84/74 doctor has seen family Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 20:45 chest clear, eyes open/drowsy Rochelle Balona RN

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1 of 3 7/22 14:56 loose stool, diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 3 7/22 14:27 doctor from general surgery spoke to son Lanfang Gu RN

2 of 2 7/22 03:45 pm concerned for a bowel obstruction on admission Seema Marwaha

1 of 4 7/23 00:00 Temp 37 PLS 101 BP 104/58 Rochelle Balona RN

Further notes:

1 of 1 7/23 02:00 - died Seema offers condolence at 04:30

1 of 4 7/23 06:48 - transfer to morgue (see Exhibit #8 for original notes)

Dr. Michael Sklar believed that he had the right to change the clear instructions to DNR (Do Not Resuscitate) without ever consulting with me or even indicating this to me. I only found out that he had done this at the final moment of my mother's agonizing crisis and he was nowhere to be found. It was the attending nurse, Donna, who informed me of Dr. Sklar's wilful decision when it was too late to save my mother's life. Dr. Sklar even falsely reported (on 7/22 at 13:52) that I agreed to a "Do Not Resuscitate" order. As God is my witness, I would never, ever even consider agreeing to this. Looking at the notes, at 06:29 Dr. Sklar had already cancelled the Full Code (Resuscitate) order, with no suggestion to me at all. This is not only against the rules of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO), it amounts to criminal activity. Dr. Sklar clearly committed pre-meditated murder when he chose to deny my Mother the lifesaving procedure.

As per the official "Policies" written by:

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) (See Exhibit #5)

(Approved by Council: September 2002 - Reviewed and Updated: February 2006, September 2015, May 2016, September 2019, March 2023) in the section titled "Decision-Making for End-of-Life Care" under the heading Withholding Resuscitative Measures: "the physician can write an order to withhold resuscitative measures in the patient's medical record but must, before writing the order:

a. inform the patient and/or SDM that the order will be written;

b. communicate information regarding the patient's diagnosis and/or prognosis, and explain to the patient and/or SDM why resuscitative measures are not appropriate, including the risk of harm in providing those interventions and the likely clinical outcomes if the patient is resuscitated; and

c. provide details to the patient and/or SDM regarding clinically appropriate care or treatment(s) they propose to provide."

[Note "SDM" refers to the Substitute Decision-Maker of the patient which in this case is me]

The premeditated decisions made by Dr. Sklar and Dr. Marwaha on or about July 21, 2023, through July 23, 2023 were irreversible, and resulted in my mother's death!

When my mother entered the hospital the only problem was an obstructed bowel. The notes from 2023-07-22-05:12 state "Heart normal, chest clear, Ringer's lactate prescribed for 'dehydration' Waiting for CHEST X-Ray, urinalysis" signed by Jennifer Chu MD. At 07:48 (2023/7/22) an x-ray reveals to Kohammed Alahmari MD that there may be a Bowel obstruction and he suggests a CT scan. At 08:49, Jade Sullivan signed to "discontinue CT scan" (to cancel it) before my Mother was even assigned a bed. This entry by Ms. Sullivan was made more than five hours after Dr. Marwaha cancelled it, and almost four hours after this entry, staff were still waiting for it to be performed. Please keep in mind that Doctor Marwaha was the supervising physician for this whole fiasco. Even though others may have made some decisions, she is the one who was ultimately responsible for the care of my Mother.

Reports continue including the one at 11:05 which states that my Mother's ECG showed a normal Heart rate of 93 bpm (according to Technician - Karen Konieczny) and at 12:43 her BP was 118/80 and continued to be within a very normal range at 12:46 and 13:21 (according to Frances Ramos RPN & Lanfang Gu respectively). These results were noted and signed off by Doctor Seema Marwaha, so she was fully aware that my Mother was not in distress, except for the possible small bowel obstruction. At 12:46 it is noted that staff was "waiting for CT" – "patient received from emerg". It is in the clinical notes, clearly even though Doctor Marwaha had cancelled the CT scan, other members of the team were expecting it to be done.

At 13:52, the note is "doctor from ICU spoke to son, agreed DNR", [referring to Dr. Sklar] something that did not occur. I would never, ever agree to this. In the clinical notes it states that "Do Not Resuscitate" was ordered almost seven and half hours earlier, and yet they decided to wait to tell me at 13:52 (1:52 pm). This is a definite indication that they were either trying to hide the fact from me, until it was too late, or to cover-up one of their many mistakes.

At 20:45, Rochelle Balona RN writes that my Mother's health was "chest clear, eyes open/drowsy" and it is not until 00:00 (midnight) of the next day (July 23rd) that her temperature and pulse are up "Temp 37 PLS 101", and her blood pressure was down "BP 104/58".

Even though the clinical records make it clear that we wanted my Mother to be resuscitated if she stopped breathing, Dr. Sklar went ahead and changed the "Resuscitate" order to exactly the opposite of what was asked, even mandated of him. The rules of The College are clear "a inform the patient and/or SDM that the order will be written;". This is to be done in the future tense "that the order will be written", before writing it and even by his own notes he deliberately waited for more than seven hours to say that he had done it. He did not even make it clear that it had been done, because as stated before, I would never have agreed to a DNR. Never!

In a statement from the hospital "We understand from your feedback that it was not clear to you that CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation, also known as chest compressions) would not be offered to your mother and the reason why. We sincerely apologize for this and any distress to you as a result" and that they thought I understood. Under no circumstances whatsoever would I ever allow a DNR for my Mother even if I had to carry her around on my back (which I sometimes did).

It is very evident that I was not "informed" of Dr. Sklar's decision because that would have been plainly specified in the hospital's later document to me. In fact, it is obvious that, knowing that both I and my mother, his trusting patient, were against the decision before he even made it, he has tried to cover-up his unethical act by pretending that I agreed to it. To avoid having the discussion with me, he did not openly confer with or explain it to me. His method was to repeat "Your mother is dying" loud enough for all to hear, including his victim, a World War II veteran, front-line nurse, Josephine Lonsdale Heughan. And this, ironically, in a hospital started by The Sisters of St. Joseph to care for sick patients with dignity and a Godly love. Dr. Sklar, with a broad smile on his face, repeated the words "Your mother is dying" several times to me, and in front of my mother who was still awake, conscious and begging us for food and water.

A doctor that takes pleasure in the pain of their patients is by definition, sadistic. There is something clearly unsettling about this disturbed MD which is much more than just merely touching on "schadenfreude". This is clear to me as I have spent 50 plus years as an investigative writer for The Toronto Sun newspaper syndicate.

In addition to all of these concerns, Dr. Michael Sklar is just an anaesthetist, so why was he the one who believed that he could make the judgement call when it should have been up to my Mother and me, her designated Power of Attorney? (See Exhibit 4) This would have one believe that Dr. Sklar was playing GOD with my Dear Mother's life, a woman who was willing to sacrifice her own safety for so many people over the years as a CWAC (Canadian Women's Army Corps), a Red Cross ambulance driver during the worst period of the Hitler's blitz on London and a front-line nurse in other European battle theatres. In addition, my Mother was a nurse for 20 years at Toronto's Sunnybrook Hospital, and at one time President of Parent-Finders (an organization that assists children seeking to find their biological parents, and vice-versa).

St. Michael's is designated as a teaching hospital. It appears what they are teaching new doctors and nurses is that making patients' time in hospital agonizing by loudly announcing that they are dying, and that killing patients is the way to lessen the load. There must be consequences for wrong actions filled with malice or else future doctors will believe that this is, in some abhorrent way, the proper treatment of their unsuspecting patients.

Further, just because Josephine Lonsdale Heughan had passed away, there was no reason for the CAs (Clinical Assistants) to believe that she did not merit their respectful handling of her physical self. Sam Edgar, the "Patients Relations Specialist", stated in an email that "Unity Health Toronto is committed to providing a safe, healthy and supportive working environment and to the prevention of workplace violence." The handling of my Mother's body, the smashing of her face and head against the bed rail, a metal plate - an act which I witnessed (and which awoke the sleeping patient in the next bed) is clearly an act of violence! Dr. Marwaha, and the hospital administrators have refused to release the name of the man who committed this heinous act on my poor Mother's body. This indicates more secretive actions on their part. How can we trust people like that?

It is clear that the hospital itself is protecting their own, and at the same time allowing doctors like Michael Sklar and Seema Marwaha to make deadly decisions on behalf of naive patients and their family members, attempting to make them believe that it is the best choice and that they are "sorry for your loss". Doctors Seema Marwaha and Michael Sklar together conspired to kill my mother. The former by cancelling medical procedures that, done in a timely manner, would have properly diagnosed my Mother's health issue and the latter, what could have saved my Mother life by reviving her. They have further attempted to cover up their malicious acts or possibly what was grievous errors of judgement, either of which was pure malpractice.

Doctor Michael Sklar and Doctor Seema Marwaha must be made accountable for the death of JOSEPHINE VICTORIA LONSDALE (HEUGHAN) and charged with her murder. This may in some way bring an inkling of justice to her unjust treatment and will certainly protect future patients of St. Michael's Hospital from suffering similar fates at the hands of Dr. Michael Sklar, Dr. Seema Marwaha and any others who have learned their detestable methods.

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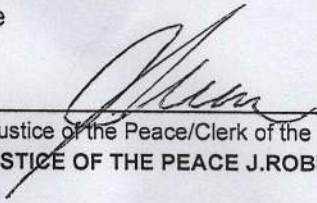
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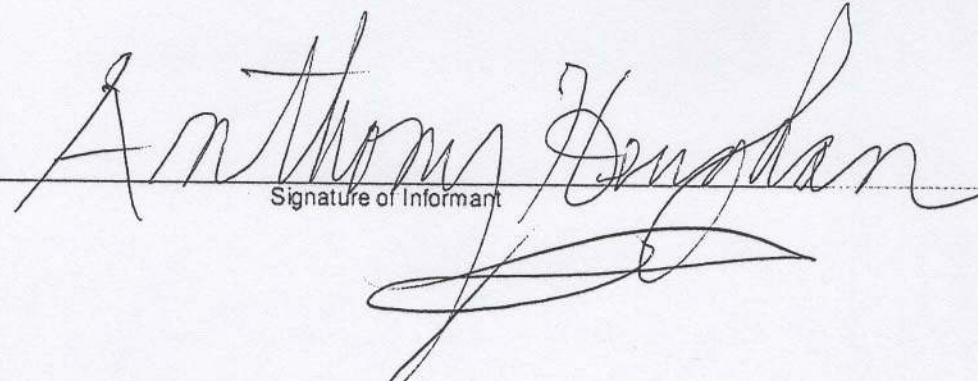
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pg 18 - 06:30 - discontinue Ceftriaxone (treats/prevents bacterial infections)

pg 18 - 07:09 - in progress Levothyroxine (thyroid med) Jade Sullivan MD signed

(full of various medications ?????)

7/22 07:48 EXAM (x-ray) Bowel obstruction ? consider CT - Kohammed Alahmari MD

pg 9 - 7/22- 08:30 - discontinue Ceftriaxone (treat/prevent bacterial infections) but administered

pg 16 - 08:49 - discontinue CT scan

Jade Sullivan MD signed

pg 15 - 7/22- 09:58 - bed assigned

7/22 11:05 ECG Heart rate 93 bpm

Technician - Karen Konieczny

3 of 4 7/22 (12:43) BP 118/80 at 12:46 and 13:21 [Frances Ramos RPN & Lanfang Gu]

Seema Marwaha

12:46 waiting for CT - patient received from emerg

1 of 3 7/22 13:52 doctor from ICU spoke to son, agreed DNR

Lanfang Gu RN

[NOTE\* The above was absolutely a falsified entry, as this was not discussed with me, her SDM, and in fact it was made clear by me on multiple occasions that she be "resuscitated at all costs" (Code 20 ) using all available methods.]

(Use additional paper, if necessary)

1 of 3 7/22 16:16 BP 86/55 Lanfang Gu RN

1 of 4 7/22 18:25 diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 19:02 daughter arrived Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 19:04 BP 84/74 doctor has seen family Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 20:45 chest clear, eyes open/drowsy Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 4 7/22 22:00 diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

2 of 3 7/22 12:46 diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 3 7/22 14:56 loose stool, diaper changed Rochelle Balona RN

1 of 3 7/22 14:27 doctor from general surgery spoke to son Lanfang Gu RN

2 of 2 7/22 03:45 pm concerned for a bowel obstruction on admission Seema Marwaha

1 of 4 7/23 00:00 Temp 37 PLS 101 BP 104/58 Rochelle Balona RN

Further notes:

1 of 1 7/23 02:00 - died Seema offers condolence at 04:30

1 of 4 7/23 06:48 - transfer to morgue (see Exhibit #8 for original notes)

Dr. Michael Sklar believed that he had the right to change the clear instructions to DNR (Do Not Resuscitate) without ever consulting with me or even indicating this to me. I only found out that he had done this at the final moment of my mother's agonizing crisis and he was nowhere to be found. It was the attending nurse, Donna, who informed me of Dr. Sklar's wilful decision when it was too late to save my mother's life. Dr. Sklar even falsely reported (on 7/22 at 13:52) that I agreed to a "Do Not Resuscitate" order. As God is my witness, I would never, ever even consider agreeing to this. Looking at the notes, at 06:29 Dr. Sklar had already cancelled the Full Code (Resuscitate) order, with no suggestion to me at all. This is not only against the rules of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO), it amounts to criminal activity. Dr. Sklar clearly committed pre-meditated murder when he chose to deny my Mother the lifesaving procedure.

As per the official "Policies" written by:

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) (See Exhibit #5)

(Approved by Council: September 2002 - Reviewed and Updated: February 2006, September 2015, May 2016, September 2019, March 2023) in the section titled "Decision-Making for End-of-Life Care" under the heading Withholding Resuscitative Measures: "the physician can write an order to withhold resuscitative measures in the patient's medical record but must, before writing the order:

a. inform the patient and/or SDM that the order will be written;

b. communicate information regarding the patient's diagnosis and/or prognosis, and explain to the patient and/or SDM why resuscitative measures are not appropriate, including the risk of harm in providing those interventions and the likely clinical outcomes if the patient is resuscitated; and

c. provide details to the patient and/or SDM regarding clinically appropriate care or treatment(s) they propose to provide."

[Note "SDM" refers to the Substitute Decision-Maker of the patient which in this case is me]



The premeditated decisions made by Dr. Sklar and Dr. Marwaha on or about July 21, 2023, through July 23, 2023 were irreversible, and resulted in my mother's death!

When my mother entered the hospital the only problem was an obstructed bowel. The notes from 2023-07-22-05:12 state "Heart normal, chest clear, Ringer's lactate prescribed for 'dehydration' Waiting for CHEST X-Ray, urinalysis" signed by Jennifer Chu MD. At 07:48 (2023/7/22) an x-ray reveals to Kohammed Alahmari MD that there may be a Bowel obstruction and he suggests a CT scan. At 08:49, Jade Sullivan signed to "discontinue CT scan" (to cancel it) before my Mother was even assigned a bed. This entry by Ms. Sullivan was made more than five hours after Dr. Marwaha cancelled it, and almost four hours after this entry, staff were still waiting for it to be performed. Please keep in mind that Doctor Marwaha was the supervising physician for this whole fiasco. Even though others may have made some decisions, she is the one who was ultimately responsible for the care of my Mother.

Reports continue including the one at 11:05 which states that my Mother's ECG showed a normal Heart rate of 93 bpm (according to Technician - Karen Konieczny) and at 12:43 her BP was 118/80 and continued to be within a very normal range at 12:46 and 13:21 (according to Frances Ramos RPN & Lanfang Gu respectively). These results were noted and signed off by Doctor Seema Marwaha, so she was fully aware that my Mother was not in distress, except for the possible small bowel obstruction. At 12:46 it is noted that staff was "waiting for CT" – "patient received from emerg". It is in the clinical notes, clearly even though Doctor Marwaha had cancelled the CT scan, other members of the team were expecting it to be done.

At 13:52, the note is "doctor from ICU spoke to son, agreed DNR", [referring to Dr. Sklar] something that did not occur. I would never, ever agree to this. In the clinical notes it states that "Do Not Resuscitate" was ordered almost seven and half hours earlier, and yet they decided to wait to tell me at 13:52 (1:52 pm). This is a definite indication that they were either trying to hide the fact from me, until it was too late, or to cover-up one of their many mistakes.

At 20:45, Rochelle Balona RN writes that my Mother's health was "chest clear, eyes open/drowsy" and it is not until 00:00 (midnight) of the next day (July 23rd) that her temperature and pulse are up "Temp 37 PLS 101", and her blood pressure was down "BP 104/58".

Even though the clinical records make it clear that we wanted my Mother to be resuscitated if she stopped breathing, Dr. Sklar went ahead and changed the "Resuscitate" order to exactly the opposite of what was asked, even mandated of him. The rules of The College are clear "a inform the patient and/or SDM that the order will be written;". This is to be done in the future tense "that the order will be written", before writing it and even by his own notes he deliberately waited for more than seven hours to say that he had done it. He did not even make it clear that it had been done, because as stated before, I would never have agreed to a DNR. Never!

In a statement from the hospital "We understand from your feedback that it was not clear to you that CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation, also known as chest compressions) would not be offered to your mother and the reason why. We sincerely apologize for this and any distress to you as a result" and that they thought I understood. Under no circumstances whatsoever would I ever allow a DNR for my Mother even if I had to carry her around on my back (which I sometimes did).

It is very evident that I was not "informed" of Dr. Sklar's decision because that would have been plainly specified in the hospital's later document to me. In fact, it is obvious that, knowing that both I and my mother, his trusting patient, were against the decision before he even made it, he has tried to cover-up his unethical act by pretending that I agreed to it. To avoid having the discussion with me, he did not openly confer with or explain it to me. His method was to repeat "Your mother is dying" loud enough for all to hear, including his victim, a World War II veteran, front-line nurse, Josephine Lonsdale Heughan. And this, ironically, in a hospital started by The Sisters of St. Joseph to care for sick patients with dignity and a Godly love. Dr. Sklar, with a broad smile on his face, repeated the words "Your mother is dying" several times to me, and in front of my mother who was still awake, conscious and begging us for food and water.

A doctor that takes pleasure in the pain of their patients is by definition, sadistic. There is something clearly unsettling about this disturbed MD which is much more than just merely touching on "schadenfreude". This is clear to me as I have spent 50 plus years as an investigative writer for The Toronto Sun newspaper syndicate.

In addition to all of these concerns, Dr. Michael Sklar is just an anaesthetist, so why was he the one who believed that he could make the judgement call when it should have been up to my Mother and me, her designated Power of Attorney? (See Exhibit 4) This would have one believe that Dr. Sklar was playing GOD with my Dear Mother's life, a woman who was willing to sacrifice her own safety for so many people over the years as a CWAC (Canadian Women's Army Corps), a Red Cross ambulance driver during the worst period of the Hitler's blitz on London and a front-line nurse in other European battle theatres. In addition, my Mother was a nurse for 20 years at Toronto's Sunnybrook Hospital, and at one time President of Parent-Finders (an organization that assists children seeking to find their biological parents, and vice-versa).

St. Michael's is designated as a teaching hospital. It appears what they are teaching new doctors and nurses is that making patients' time in hospital agonizing by loudly announcing that they are dying, and that killing patients is the way to lessen the load. There must be consequences for wrong actions filled with malice or else future doctors will believe that this is, in some abhorrent way, the proper treatment of their unsuspecting patients.

Further, just because Josephine Lonsdale Heughan had passed away, there was no reason for the CAs (Clinical Assistants) to believe that she did not merit their respectful handling of her physical self. Sam Edgar, the "Patients Relations Specialist", stated in an email that "Unity Health Toronto is committed to providing a safe, healthy and supportive working environment and to the prevention of workplace violence." The handling of my Mother's body, the smashing of her face and head against the bed rail, a metal plate - an act which I witnessed (and which awoke the sleeping patient in the next bed) is clearly an act of violence! Dr. Marwaha, and the hospital administrators have refused to release the name of the man who committed this heinous act on my poor Mother's body. This indicates more secretive actions on their part. How can we trust people like that?

It is clear that the hospital itself is protecting their own, and at the same time allowing doctors like Michael Sklar and Seema Marwaha to make deadly decisions on behalf of naive patients and their family members, attempting to make them believe that it is the best choice and that they are "sorry for your loss". Doctors Seema Marwaha and Michael Sklar together conspired to kill my mother. The former by cancelling medical procedures that, done in a timely manner, would have properly diagnosed my Mother's health issue and the latter, what could have saved my Mother life by reviving her. They have further attempted to cover up their malicious acts or possibly what was grievous errors of judgement, either of which was pure malpractice.

Doctor Michael Sklar and Doctor Seema Marwaha must be made accountable for the death of JOSEPHINE VICTORIA LONSDALE (HEUGHAN) and charged with her murder. This may in some way bring an inkling of justice to her unjust treatment and will certainly protect future patients of St. Michael's Hospital from suffering similar fates at the hands of Dr. Michael Sklar, Dr. Seema Marwaha and any others who have learned their detestable methods.

Anthony Lonsdale Carr