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From:

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To:

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Subject:

Dr Jay Patel,

Dr Patel has just resigned effective immediately.

He has indicated that he plans to take legal action against a variety of staff as well as QHealth for failing to stop the leak of confidential material and for not providing definitive support in relation to all the allegations

There are no general surgeons in Bundaberg (privately or publicly) as from 8am this morning (except Dr Patel)

Dr Kees Nydam and I are now in process of trying to find a surgeon to fly up immediately. Would welcome any assistance that might be able to be provided re-same.

Peter