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**From:** s. 47F(1) [mailto:s. 47F(1)@ihms.com.au]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 19 November 2014 12:13 PM  
**To:** s. 22(1)(a)(ii)  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:** Tb screening

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Just in reference to the ongoing TB contact tracing as per my mention in this mornings ops meeting.

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Given that we sort advise from the QTBC in regards to expanding the screening to include additional teachers and also s. 22(1)(a)(ii) due to unknown exposure time. Yesterday we were advised to test an additional 3 teachers, s. 22(1)(a)(ii) and also s. 22(1)(a)(ii) and I believe one tutor from the class group.

I have discussed this with head office and s. 47F(1) has been in contact with DIBP national office to inform them of this.

I have forwarded on the information s. 47F(1) sent. s. 47G(1)(a)

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s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Dear all,

Please find update from the contact tracing on Nauru.

### Stakeholders

1. A total of 5 STC stakeholders have now been tested and 4 are negative. We understand that one stakeholder who provided one-on-one whilst s. 47F(1) was in isolation has tested positive, however final confirmation from the TB unit is awaited. The remainder of the 14 in the original cohort are still undergoing tracing by the relevant state public health authorities.

2. In addition to this group of close contacts, a total of 5 additional stakeholder contacts are now being advised to also undergo screening. This is based upon new advice we have obtained from the QLD TB Unit. Note that these persons were not originally advised to us by the QLD TB Unit as requiring testing.

A teacher who self-presented for testing upon return to Australia has also returned a positive result and this has prompted the public health authorities to include the teachers s. 22(1)(a)(ii) in the screening program.

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3. To summarise, this group now includes:

- A) s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
- B) The 4 teachers in the school
- C) The 11 s. 22(1)(a)(ii)/tutors in the school - this is a separate group not UAM's
- D) **There were 2 other regular visitors from SCA while he was in isolation so will need to establish whether they maintained isolation protocol. Will be advised 19/11.**

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**Save the Children**  
Australia

15 January 2015

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Contract and Services Management  
Department of Immigration and Border Protection  
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Dear Mr Painting

**Communicable Disease Outbreak Management**

I refer to your letter of 2 December 2014 (a copy of which is attached to this letter as Attachment 1).

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s. 22(1)(a)(ii)



Yours sincerely

s. 47F



**Head of Nauru Programs**

- Encl. Attachment 1: Letter from the department to s. 47F dated 2 December 2014  
Attachment 2: File note of s. 47F (17 November 2014)  
Attachment 3: Email from s. 47F to s. 47F (19 November 2014)  
Attachment 4: Email from s. 47F to s. 47F and attachment (8 October 2014)  
Attachment 5: List provided to SCA by s. 47F with handwritten notes (undated)



Australian Government  
Department of Immigration and Border Protection

2 December 2014

s. 47F  
Mr [REDACTED]  
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VICTORIA 3002


s. 47F  
Dear Mr [REDACTED]

Communicable Disease Outbreak Management

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Please contact s. 22(1)(a)(ii) on s. 22(1)(a)(ii) if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely

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# ATTACHMENT 2

s. 47F

**Subject:** Meeting with s. 47F from IHMS and follow-up conversation on 18/11  
**Entry Type:** Meeting  
**Start:** Mon 17/11/2014 2:00 PM  
**End:** Mon 17/11/2014 2:00 PM  
**Duration:** 0 hours

s. 47F asked me to meet with s. 47F IHMS in his absence @ 4pm on 17/11, regarding the TB.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) As one person who was not in the initial high risk group has now tested positive, s. 47F will contact them on 18/11 for advice on how to proceed.

s. 47F talked me through the process of how people were identified for testing in general terms:

Group 1 – Those who had significant exposure to the infected person. More than 8 hours, close quarters etc.

Group 2 – Those who may have had contact prior to his diagnosis when the disease was active, this picks up s. 47F teachers, recreation workers etc prior to s. 47F time in isolation. s. 47F recommended this should happen as we have a positive in this group.

Group 3 – Would be all other employees who may have had slight contact.

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s. 47F mentioned her meeting with s. 47F and said that the above is the advice s. 47F gave s. 47F That s. 47F would be able to travel.

Follow-up 18/11 s. 47F has requested information for Group 2 employees which I have forwarded to Melbourne. I raised the question of moving to all employees instead. Waiting for feedback on this.

## ATTACHMENT 3

s. 47F

**Subject:** FW: INFORMATION ON TB

**From:** s. 47F [mailto:s. 47F@ihms.com.au]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 19 November 2014 10:36 AM  
**To:** s. 47F  
**Subject:** INFORMATION ON TB

Stuart, thank you calling on me this morning.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

In regards to other TB matters please note that:

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

- C. TB is prevalent here in Nauru so Nauruan staff could also be infected already.
- D. Contact tracing starts with all the persons who have had contact with a carrier for eight hours or more and then widens from there.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

- F. Information sessions were done immediately especially to STA and the offer for more sessions stands to all stakeholders. Another is being held today by IHMS.

If you have any further queries please do not hesitate to present them.

Bulletin to follow.

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## ATTACHMENT 4

s. 47F

**From:** operationmanager.nauru  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 23 December 2014 1:08 PM  
**To:** s. 47F  
**Subject:** Fw: s. 47F - Medical Isolation Care  
**Attachments:** UAM ISOLATION CARE.docx

s. 47F

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**From:** operationmanager.nauru  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 8 October 2014 1:43 PM  
**To:** s. 47F  
**Subject:** FW: s. 47F Medical Isolation Care

Hi s. 47F

As requested.

regards

s. 47F

UAM ISOLATION CARE

The following staff have provided 1:1 care to s. 47F whilst s. 47F was in OPC1 medical isolation:

Care commenced on 23/09/2014 at 1900hrs and concluded at 1700hrs Monday 7/10/2014:

DIRECT CAREUAM

s. 47F


SCA staff

s. 47F Case Management  
 s. 47F (shift on 2/10/2014) (?) RAP Secondary Teacher  
 s. 47F (shift on 2/10/2014) RAP Primary Teacher  
 s. 47F (shift on 5/10/2014) RAP Early childhood  
 s. 47F (shift on 3/10/2014) RAP Primary Teacher  
 s. 47F (shift on 3/10/2014) RAP Education Manager

Visitors – regular

RAP URM Managers s. 47F and s. 47F

Visitors – single visit/exposure

s. 47F (assisting and monitoring SCA staff coverage)  
 s. 22(1)(a)(ii)  
 s. 47F (Visits to maintain contact with school) SCA RPC Secondary Teacher  
 s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

On one occasion, Saturday 27/09/2014 s. 47F was given permission by IHMS to attend OPC3 and participate in Internet Activity, he did this with all other UAM's for a period in excess of two hours. s. 47F also attended a meeting that night. It is highly probable that all UAM's and all UAM employees have had significant exposure with s. 47F during the period. s. 47F did attend the school late afternoon Monday 6 October to meet with s. 47F. s. 47F I have no knowledge of who may have had contact with s. 47F at the airport or s. 47F departure. s. 47F was escorted by Wilson CSO s. 47F and s. 47F with s. 47F

The following is a list of all UAM employees rostered on island during the period 22 – 28 September 2014:

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s. 47F

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Name	Company	Location
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
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s. 47F		
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	SCA staff, Case Management	
	SCA staff, Secondary Teacher	
	SCA staff, Primary Teacher	
	SCA staff, Early childhood	
	SCA staff, Primary Teacher	
	SCA staff, Education Manager	
	RAP URM Managers	
	RAP URM Managers	
	Interpreter RAP Manager	
	RPC Secondary Teacher	
s. 47F	UAM Employees	On Island
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• Addresses  
• Phone Numbers  
• email.

s. 47F

	UAM Employees	On Island
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Further Information Required		
Room Mates		
Friends		
Family Groups with Children		
Infrastructure accommodation details - ventilation?		