

# Memo

**To:** Chris Mahaffey  
**From:** David Wood  
**Date:** 13 November 2001  
**Re:** Hamil Review on 24 October 2001

---

There are five different enquiries in respect of Robert Hamil.

1. Investigation into the landrover crew  
- RUC investigation supervised by PONI
2. Investigation into Atkinson and others  
- RUC investigation supervised by PONI
3. Murder of Robert Hamil  
- RUC investigation
4. Actions at the scene of crime and on the day  
- RUC investigation supervised by PONI
5. Neglect of duty, SIO and IO  
- PONI investigation

The above four investigations relevant to PONI were discussed at length including all the evidence and the stage each had reached, and the following actions were made as a result:-

**Ombudsman investigation regarding the SIO and IO**

- In respect of Andrea McKee seen in the car by the Detective Inspector Irwin and another officer on the night Robert Hamil died, did K [ ] cover this in his North Wales visit? This needs to be established.
- It would appear that the RUC have no witness protection scheme which might be particularly important in respect of Andrea McKee. Enquiries to be made about what witness protection scheme they have and what facilities they will have