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3 September 2025    your ref  
date

Dear Sirs

**Peter Andrew Faucitt / Jacqueline Faucitt, Daniel James Faucitt and others – Case No.: 2025/137857**

1. Thank you for your letter dated 3 September 2025.
2. In principle, our clients agree to subjecting themselves to the tests requested by your client on condition that your client undergoes similar testing. We are, however, instructed to highlight that our clients do not believe that the tests are required but as a demonstration of their *bona fides*, they will undergo the necessary testing.
3. The immediate focus should be the forensic audit. This can be discussed further during the mediation.
4. We propose that the parties approach Charles Nupen to mediate the dispute. If you are in agreement, we will write to Mr Nupen to enquire about his availability for a mediation to be held early next week. Do you have any difficulty with this? Please also let me know whether you are comfortable for the mediation to be held at our offices (The MARC | Tower 1, 129 Rivonia Road, Sandton). Our respective clients will then not incur the costs associated with venue hire.
5. Insofar as the attendees for the mediation are concerned, our preference is for our clients to be present. This enables us to quickly take instructions and potentially conclude a settlement agreement. In an attempt to avoid an acrimonious environment, we will arrange for separate boardrooms to be booked and unless requested by the mediator, our clients do not need to be in the same room.
6. This should not be regarded as an exhaustive response to your letter. Our clients' rights to respond more fully, if it becomes necessary to do so, are reserved.

7. All our clients' rights remain reserved.

Yours faithfully

**Edward Nathan Sonnenbergs**

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