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CARDIAC SURGERY MEETING BOARD  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON  
TUESDAY 23 NOVEMBER 1993

PRESENT: J D Wisheart  
Janet Maher  
Dr Davies  
Dr Monk  
Colin Hawkins  
Lesley Salmon  
Mr A Bryan  
Sr Gibert  
Fiona Thomas  
Sr Herborn  
Dr Masey

1. APOLOGIES - Mr J Dhasmana, Prof Anginlini

2. MINUTES

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a correct record.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Nil

4. CONTRACT REPORT

Lesley circulated the workload figures up to the end of October 1993.

The information needed refining, but showed that we were now only slightly down on the total number of FCE's. Within this total there were problems with underperformance for BDHA and Bath. Somerset were also expressing concern at the low number of CABG's done. Jon Hutter wished to see the detail of the operations done for Somerset - Lesley stated that collecting operation numbers was now very difficult. PATS should be able to do it in the future. Lesley would provide details for Somerset & Bath separately.

Sally Masey asked what quality information we supplied to purchasers, James Wisheart explained that they had asked for little except reduced waiting times, but we had shared out audit results with some.