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Ms Joan Shenton  
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Dear Ms Shenton

With apologies, I must decline your invitation to take part in the General Full Programmes despatches.

I discussed the project with my colleague Dr Khamashta who had had previous experience in HIV testing but this is not our particular field, either in lupus or otherwise at the present time and I would prefer to decline.

I am sorry not to be of help.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Dr Graham R V Hughes.

**Dr Graham R V Hughes MD FRCP**  
**Consultant Rheumatologist**

cc Dr M Khamashta