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After Clause 50, insert the following new Clause –

“Duty to publish investigations

- (1) The Mental Health Act 1983 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 54A insert –

“54B Duty to publish the outcome of investigations

- (1) Integrated care boards, hospital managers and the relevant authority must, if requested to do so by the court, publish any report, review or investigation that they have undertaken in relation to a relevant patient.
- (2) For the purposes of this section, a “relevant patient” is a patient who–
 - (a) has received treatment under this Act,
 - (b) is currently receiving treatment under this Act, or
 - (c) has been detained under this Act, andhas been sentenced for a “specified offence” under section 306 of the Sentencing Act 2020.””

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