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Terry Semple, Ross-Tech

Signed *G Welsh*

Designation Social Worker

Date 17 January 1996

Countersigned *J. Tidey*

Date 18/1/96

## HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL - SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

Compiled by: Grace Welsh

Date: 17 January 1996

Updated:

## BASIC INFORMATION SHEET

FOR

Child in Care Review as per S20A SW (Scotland) Act 1968

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| 3. | Date of Birth   | 12.11.79                          |
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**MINUTES OF REVIEW MEETING**

**MANDY GOLABEK**

<b>19. Date of Review:</b>	21.04.95
<b>Location:</b>	Ferintosh House, Conon Bridge
<b>Chairperson:</b>	Leslie Martin, Reviewing Officer, Wick
<b>Names and Designations of those attending:</b>	
Mandy Golabek Jim Mason, Ferintosh House Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall Cath Neill, Teacher, Ferintosh Dave Allan, Manager, Ferintosh House	
<b>Invited but unable to attend:</b>	

## 20. Summary of Discussion:

A written report was provided by Grace Welsh who explained that the Panel on 22.03.95 had been a very difficult day for Mandy. The Panel struggled to find the right decision for Mandy and the result was unsatisfactory for her. The placement with Community Carers didn't work and Mandy was then transferred to Ferintosh. A subsequent Panel has agreed a Condition of Residence at Ferintosh.

Jim Mason explained that Mandy settled in fine in the Unit but there may be a need to move Mandy from the Lodge to the Big House. Mandy is not keen on such a move. Cath explained that at present Mandy is in Ferintosh School while options are being looked at for her. The next intake at Inverness College for a Scotvec Course will be in August 1995. A second option would be for Mandy to join the Nansen Society where she could follow Scotvec Courses. A third option was for her to attend evening classes perhaps following her interests in Art or Cooking. Mandy added Weight Lifting to this list. It was noted that Mandy's agenda for her education may be different from the Social Work Department's and it was agreed that Mandy should be given time without pressure to decide which direction to take. She would be given encouragement and funding where possible.

Contact between Mandy and her family was then discussed. Mandy only wishes to go to see her dad when her sister Tina is present. This contact would be supported by the Social Work Department. Mandy's sister Siobhan now lives in Inverness and the plan is for Jim Mason and Mandy to visit Siobhan to ascertain her circumstances. It is expected that these will be satisfactory and thereafter Mandy will be allowed to visit Siobhan and stay overnight if she wishes. It was hoped that this would provide a bolthole for Mandy when she feels fed up with life and that rather than absconding from Ferintosh, Mandy will go to Siobhan and phone staff to notify them where she is. It was agreed that similar arrangements would be made for Mandy to visit her mother, namely that Jim Mason will accompany Mandy on the first visit to check things out. Thereafter Mandy will be able to have weekend visits with her mother if they both wish it.

It appears that Rossie School have changed their minds about welcoming Mandy on informal visits. Dave Allan said he would look into this with the staff at Rossie. If she is not allowed to visit she needs to be given clear reasons for this.

Mandy's absconding has reduced dramatically but there have been two absconsions causing everyone to feel concerned about Mandy. It is hoped that if she's able to stay with Siobhan occasionally, the need for absconding will be further reduced. Mandy will be given a phonecard to ensure she has the means to phone staff to seek authorisation to be away overnight. If at all possible Mandy's absences from Ferintosh should be dealt with by the Department and family members.

Mandy has grown out of most of her clothes and has not had a new outfit for a year. Dave Allan will arrange for funding for adequate clothing for Mandy.

**21. Decisions and Recommendations (include access, parental rights, custodianship, adoption, discharge from Care):**

1. Mandy's placement at Ferintosh appears to be working okay and they are happy for her to be there.
2. Contact: Mr Golabek and Tina: Mandy continues to wish to make regular visits and this is supported.  
Siobhan: Jim Mason and Mandy are to visit Siobhan in Inverness to check out the possibility of Mandy staying overnight occasionally.  
Ms Connell, Mandy's Mother: Jim Mason and Mandy to visit Ms Connell to check out whether visits from Mandy are possible.
3. Four possibilities at present are being looked at for Mandy: 1. Entry to Inverness Tech for Scotvecs in August 1995. 2. Nansen Society to follow Scotvec Courses. 3. Evening Classes at Beauly in Cooking, Art or Weight Lifting. 4. Ferintosh School following subjects of interest to Mandy.
4. Mandy to be provided with a phonecard so that she can telephone to notify Ferintosh if she is to be away for the night.
5. Review in six months.

Access Form '0' completed?

Yes

N

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Chairperson of Review Meeting:

*Julie Rankin*

Designation:

*Rev. Off.*

Date:

*4.5.95*

Principal Officer:

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  2. There still remains three options to recommend to the Children's Panel next week, namely Coulpark Children's Centre, a Community Caring placement in Conon Bridge, or placement with Ms. Connell, if her co-operation can be secured. Mandy needs to indicate to the Panel which option she favours.
  3. **Contact** - Mandy will be encouraged and supported in maintaining contact with all members of her family as she wishes.
  4. **Education** - it is not recommended that Mandy return to school as it is believed she would be well able to cope with Education in College and this would serve her best interests.
  5. Opportunities should be provided for Mandy to have careers guidance.
  6. Next Review will depend on Hearing decision but should be within a few weeks of Mandy moving to her next placement.
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It is not certain what Mandy wished to happen at her last Children's hearing held on 22nd March 1995. It is likely that Mandy herself was extremely uncertain about returning to this area, and may have wished to remain at Rossie School. However, Mandy was placed with Mr. and Mrs. MacLennan in Conon Bridge. It was clear that Mandy was not happy with this option and she spent no time in the household. The Community Carers understood that Mandy had no commitment to the placement.

Mandy was then placed in Ferintosh House, where she stated she would prefer to stay. Mandy currently has accommodation in the Lodge and appears to have settled in. Ferintosh staff will be available to elaborate on this area. Mandy has been reported missing to Police on two occasions since returning to Ferintosh.

In terms of education, it is hoped that Mandy will be able to consider the options available to her through further education or training. Ferintosh Education Unit will be available to help Mandy in these areas as well as providing daily routine and support. Staff will be available to consider this in more detail.

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Mandy recently requested that she stays with her half-sister, Siobhan, for a weekend. It was felt appropriate for an adult to view the accommodation that Mandy would be staying in.,

Mandy has continued to have contact with friends at Rossie School also. This has been arranged by the Unit Manager, available in Rossie School when Mandy wishes to visit, and Ferintosh Staff.

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It is necessary to consider the coming months for Mandy including her living situation and education/employment prospects.

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Your ref.

Date 3rd May 1995

Mr Golabek  
26 Firhill  
ALNESS  
Ross-Shire

Dear Mr Golabek

This letter is to give you written confirmation of the decisions taken at the Child In Care Review meeting held on 21st April 1995 regarding your daughter Mandy.

The decisions of the meeting were as follows:

1. Mandy's placement at Ferintosh appears to be working okay and they are happy for her to be there.
2. Contact: Mr Golabek & Tina: Mandy continues to wish to make regular visits and this is supported.  
Siobhan: Jim Mason and Mandy are to visit Siobhan in Inverness to check out the possibility of Mandy staying overnight occasionally.  
Ms Connell: Jim Mason and Mandy to visit Ms Connell to check out whether visits from Mandy are possible.
3. Four possibilities at present are being looked at for Mandy. 1. Entry to Inverness Tech for Scotvecs in August 1995. 2. Nansen Society to follow Scotvec Courses. 3. Evening Classes at Beauly in Cooking, Art or Weight Lifting. 4. Ferintosh School following subjects of interest to Mandy.
4. Mandy to be provided with a phonecard so that she can telephone to notify Ferintosh if she is to be away for the night.
5. Review in six months.

I have to inform you of your right to appeal the decisions of this review. Any such appeal should be addressed to Ron Taylor, Principal Officer (Children & Family Services), Wick. If you have any queries about the contents of this letter please address them to Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall or Jenny Tidey, Area Manager at the Dingwall Social Work Office.

Yours sincerely

LESLIE MARTIN  
REVIEWING OFFICER

Same Letter Sent To Ms Connell c/o Mandy

# Gaidhealtachd I N G H A M A I U

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Please ask for **Grace Welsh**

Our ref. **GW/IL**

Extension No. **137**

Your ref.

Date **18 April 1995**

Leslie Martin,  
Reviewing Officer,  
Social Work Department,  
125-127 High Street,  
Wick.



Dear Leslie,

*Amanda Golabek (b. 12.11.79), c/o Ferintosh House, Conon Bridge*

I am writing to inform you that a Child in Care Review has been arranged for Mandy. This will be held on Friday, 21st April 1995, at 10.00 a.m. in Ferintosh House, Conon Bridge.

I hope this date is convenient for you and that you will be able to attend.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Grace Welsh".

Grace Welsh  
Social Worker

**MINUTES OF REVIEW MEETING**

**MANDY GOLABEK**

<b>19. Date of Review:</b>	15.03.95
<b>Location:</b>	Rossie School, Montrose
<b>Chairperson:</b>	Leslie Martin, Reviewing Officer, Wick
<b>Names and Designations of those attending:</b>	Linda MacDougall, Teacher, Rossie School Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall Mandy Golabek Ian Hall, Standing In For Mandy's Key Worker John Kydd Robbie Robertson, Unit Manager
<b>Invited but unable to attend:</b>	

## 20. Summary of Discussion:

Written reports were provided by Grace Welsh and John Kydd. Mandy objected strongly to some of the comments contained in John Kydd's report. Mandy indicates that she dislikes her Key Worker. The Review was called specifically to formulate a recommendation for next week's Childrens Panel. Mandy had been asked previously to come to the Review clear about the decision on where she was to move to on release from Rossie. Ian reported on the contact between Mandy and her mother. The initial day visit and the first overnight visit had gone fine. The following weekend visit had gone well too. At the last weekend visit Mandy spent with her mum, it was made clear by Ms Connell that she would not be available the following weekend. Mandy chose to remain in Rossie that weekend. Mr Robertson feels that despite all the preparation and encouragement given to Mandy she herself is not ready for moving on yet. She is a very bright youngster. Linda commented that Mandy was very quiet when she first came but now seems to be out of her shell. Mandy was not as communicative as she has been sometimes at this meeting. However she stated clearly that she did not wish to be placed in Coulpark nor did she wish to take up the place with a Community Carer that Grace had arranged for her. When asked if what she really wanted was to stay at Rossie Mandy replied that she was not sure. Discussion focussed on the positives and negatives of each of the choices that Grace had negotiated for Mandy. It was agreed by all that Mandy would have great difficulty in returning to any school and that she was strongly advised to apply for Technical College. She is very skilled in Modern Studies, Home Economics and Art and has already taken a Scotvec Module in Maths. She is also studying German and English but is not keen at all on PE. Arrangements could be made for Mandy to attend College either at Inverness or in Lothian Region. Ms Connell has not given permission for her address to be given to Grace Welsh. This means that Grace has not been able to identify a placement in Lothian for Mandy although this would still be possible. After discussion it became clear that if Mandy was going to Edinburgh she would wish to be with her mother. Neither the Childrens Hearing System nor the Social Work Department were successful in getting co-operation from Ms Connell in making any such arrangements. Mandy has just one week left to indicate to the Panel what her wishes are. She was strongly urged to write down her wishes and feelings as she is very good at communicating with the written word.

Mr Robertson pointed out that he really feels that Mandy no longer meets the criteria for a Secure Order. He believes she is quite able to live independently. She has shown that she can handle her leave very well. However this coming weekend there may be some risk involved in allowing Mandy weekend leave. It is possible she may abuse this freedom in order to influence the Panel decision towards continuing her Secure Order. This issue would need to be looked at carefully by Rossie who would be giving their decision on leave the following day. It was agreed that the authorities have the duty to provide opportunities for Mandy both educationally and in a personal sense and that she was well able to work well in a community care setting or at Coulpark Childrens Centre. Basically she no longer needs to be in Rossie although she may feel secure there.

**21. Decisions and Recommendations (include access, parental rights, custodianship, adoption, discharge from Care):**

1. It was felt that Mandy no longer needs to be at Rossie nor does she meet the criteria for a Secure Accommodation Order.
2. There still remain three options to recommend to the Childrens Panel next week namely Coulpark Childrens Centre, a community caring placement in Conon Bridge, or placement with Ms Connell if her co-operation can be secured. Mandy needs to indicate to the Panel which option she favours.
3. Contact - Mandy will be encouraged and supported in maintaining contact with all members of her family as she wishes.
4. Education - It is not recommended that Mandy return to school as it is believed she would be well able to cope with education in College and this would serve her best interests.
5. Opportunities should be provided for Mandy to have careers guidance.
6. Next Review will depend on Hearing decision but should be within a few weeks of Mandy moving to her next placement.

<b>Access Form '0' completed?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Chairperson of Review Meeting:</b>	<i>[Signature]</i>	
<b>Designation:</b>	<i>Rev. Off.</i>	
<b>Date:</b>	<i>22.3.95</i>	
<b>Principal Officer:</b>		
<b>Date:</b>		

# Rossie School

Montrose, Angus

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Report for Review to be held at Rossie on 15 March, 1995.

Name: **Amanda Golabek**

Address: c/o Rossie School  
Montrose

Date of Birth: 12.11.79

Date of Admission: 25.05.94

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Amanda is currently residing in Rossie on a full 44(1)(b) order issued by the Children's Hearing Centre in Dingwall on 16.01.95. Because of Amanda's continuing pattern of absconding and putting herself at risk while on leave.

On 16 January, 1995 Amanda joined Tay Unit from Forth House (Rossie's open provision) it seems that Amanda feels she needs the comfort of a secure environment, a need to be told what to do and when to do it. Amanda at times shows a reluctance towards doing unit chores even just helping out. She is a moody and quite stubborn girl especially when things are not going her own way, taking herself off to her room to listen to music when inclined.

Amanda can when willing be a pleasant and cheerful girl who takes care of her appearance and tidies her room without much encouragement from staff. A girl of good health and appetite.

Educationally Amanda is a bright and capable girl, good in subjects such as Art, Crafts and Design, her only failing is in her behaviour towards her peers, going to and from class she has the ability of winding up others without a thought or care for their feelings in the hurtful remarks she makes.

Since joining Tay Amanda has enjoyed a day visit and four leaves home. The first of which unfortunately was due to the sudden bereavement of her grandmother. Amanda went up to Alness from 3 - 5.2.95 to stay with her father, this was a very successful leave which resulted in another leave from 17-19.2.95 to her fathers in Alness which went well again. Her next leave was a day visit to her mothers on 22 February, 1995 when Amanda was escorted by a member of staff who reported that the home situation was very pleasant and of good accommodation and surroundings for Amanda. On the weekend of the 25-26. February, 1995 Amanda went for an overnight to her mothers which appears to have gone well, she again went on leave to her mothers from 3-5 March, 1995 and again this appears to have went well, although

Amanda said she had lost her ticket for the return journey when she phoned up Rossie on Sunday. A member of staff had to go through to Leith to uplift Amanda, who has done this before whilst she was in Forth.

Amanda unfortunately is unsure at present what she would like to do after leaving Rossie and seems quite content to remain with us for the foreseeable future. However, Amanda has now been with us for many months and it is felt that a further period in Rossie would no longer be beneficial for her and the time has now come for her to move on perhaps to an establishment nearer to home; she clearly no longer meets the criteria for secure accommodation.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Kydd".

J Kydd - Key Worker

8 March, 1995.

## HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL - SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

Compiled by: Grace Welsh

Date: 13 March 1995

Updated:

## BASIC INFORMATION SHEET

## FOR

Child in Care Review as per S20A SW (Scotland) Act 1968

1. Date of Review 15.03.95

2. Name of Child AMANDA GOLABEK

3. Date of Birth 12.11.79

4. Home Address

5. Current Address c/o Rossie School, Montrose

6. Child's Parents/Step Parents/Carers

Full Name Mr. Golabek Mrs. Connell

Legal Relationship Father Mother

Address 66 Firhill, Alness Address Unknown

DOB/Age

7. Other Members of Child's Household

## (a) Family of Origin:

Name Relationship DOB/Age

## (b) Child's Present Substitute Family:

Name Relationship DOB/Age

8. **Dates of Admission to Care, Legal Orders & Variations of Orders or Other Major Events & Previous Reviews:**

Date	Event	Date	Event
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9. **Other Agencies Involved with Child:**

a)	Name of Doctor	Practice	Address
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b)	Other
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10. **School/Nursery/Training Unit Attended by Child:**

Establishment	Address	Contact Person
Rossie School Ferintosh Education Unit	Montrose Conon Bridge	Peter Jamieson

**11. Summary of Decisions from last Review**

1. Mandy will remain on Tay Unit in Rossie and not return to Forth Unit. She will, therefore, have a new Key Worker.
  2. Contact - Mandy's Key Worker will arrange for her to visit her mother, establish what accommodation is available for Mandy, and help Mandy and her mother to begin rebuilding their relationship. The Key Worker will need to establish the suitability of any other adults who may reside at Ms. Connell's address.
  3. Mandy's clothing needs will be attended to.
  4. Grace Welsh to ask for next Panel to be held at Rossie.
  5. Further Child in Care Review to be held on 15.03.95, at which time Mandy's home base will need to be established.
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**12. Dates & Nature of Social Work contact with all concerned:**

There has been continuous contact with staff at Rossie School regarding Mandy's placement. There has been a telephone discussion with Mr. Golabek, but no contact with Mandy's mum, Ms. Connell. Mandy has been visited at Rossie School on 2nd February and 8th March 1995.

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**13. Brief Background to current admission:**

Mandy began her spell in secure accommodation following a Children's Hearing on 24.5.94. At Mandy's latest Hearing on 22th January 1995, it was felt that a further period of 3 months in secure accommodation was necessary.

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**14. Description of current situation including: present placement, any changes in home situation, child's health, dental health, school issues, relationship issues, any special needs, and any other significant factors or issues.**

Following a Children's Hearing on 11th January 1995, Mandy returned to Rossie School. Home leave to Ferintosh House did not become an established pattern, partly due to Mandy's return to secure accommodation from Forth House, and also due to Mandy's refusal to return to Ferintosh.

At the last Child in Care Review, it was felt appropriate that Mandy begin to re-establish contact with her mother, Ms. Connell. It was also planned that Mandy would have home leave to her father, Mr. Golabek, in Alness. Visits to both parents have been successful. Mandy has not established a consistent home leave pattern to either parent but has had contact with both.

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**15. Contact and Access: include comments on present arrangements such as frequency, venue, length of visit, who is involved, child's wishes and any other specific arrangements.**

As stated above, Mandy has had recent contact with both mother and father. At the last Review Meeting, Mandy was keen to stay with her mother or possibly to stay nearby and build up contact. However, Ms. Connell does not wish to have any contact with the Social Work Department, in fact refusing to attend Reviews or Hearing. It is, therefore, almost impossible to make plans for Mandy to establish a home base with her mother, or near to her mother.

Contact with Mr. Golabek and his family has been very positive and he is happy for this to continue.

**16. Care Plan: Actions necessary to meet child's needs - include recommendations for changes to present plan.**

At present Mandy has no home base. Contact with both her mother and father remains important.

Mandy herself states that she does not wish to return to Highland Region. The resources available for Mandy in Highland would include Children's Centres and Community Carers.

Possibilities in Lothian Region include possible support and monitoring of situation if Mandy lives with her mother, and residential base for Mandy to build up contact with mother. However, these options would need to be considered in more detail and the co-operation of Ms. Connell in future plans would be necessary.

Mandy has a Children's Hearing on 22nd March 1995, to review her secure Accommodation Order. As Mandy's Order may not be renewed, it is important that she has a home base.

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**17. Outline Resources needed (whether or not these are available).**

Home base is needed for Mandy.

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**18. Preparation for Review:**

Report seen by child Yes/No

Report seen by parent Yes/No

Report seen by carer/staff Yes/No

Report seen by Area Manager Yes/No

Report sent to Chairperson date -

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**19. Foster Parent Contact F2 Drawn Up: N/A**

Date

Reviewed Date

Reviewed Date

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**20. Is an Application to the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board Appropriate:**

~~Yes~~/No

Date Application made

21. **Invited to Attend Review**

Leslie Martin, Reviewing Officer, Wick  
Mr. Robertson, Unit Manager, Rossie School  
Mr. Golabek, Father  
Ms. Connell, Mother  
Mandy Golabek, Subject

Signed

*Irma Welsh*

Designation Social Worker

Date 13 March 1995

Countersigned

*John Reidy*

Date

*13/3/95*

MINUTES OF REVIEW MEETING

MANDY GOLABEK

<b>19. Date of Review:</b>	02.02.95
<b>Location:</b>	Rossie House School
<b>Chairperson:</b>	Leslie Martin, Senior Social Worker (Children & Family Services), Wick
<b>Names and Designations of those attending:</b>	Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall Heather McDowall, Former Key Worker, Rossie Grace Reid, Unit Manager, Rossie Observing The Meeting - John Kidd, Tay Unit, Rossie School
<b>Invited but unable to attend:</b>	Anyone From Ferintosh Ms Connell, Mandy's Mother

## 20. Summary of Discussion:

Written reports were submitted by Grace Welsh and Heather McDowall (see attached). Mandy had been pleased that the Hearing decided she should remain at Rossie for a further three months. Since that Hearing on 11th January Mandy has not spent a weekend at Ferintosh. Mandy explained to the meeting that she made a choice to remain in secure accommodation but could not explain the reason. It was felt that perhaps it is less demanding to be in accommodation where everything is decided for you. Mandy explained to the meeting that when she leaves Rossie she wants to be going to Edinburgh where her mother is and not back to Highland Region. When asked about the decisions of the last review Mandy said that she had expected to be given leave to visit her mum and not be sent to Ferintosh at weekends. Mandy had not been able to say this at the previous meeting. This had not been picked up clearly. This explains why Mandy's weekends at Ferintosh have never really worked satisfactorily. Discussion then focussed on ways of working on building up contact between Mandy and her mother. The present position is that Highland Region Social Work Department do not know Ms Connell's address. It has not been possible to correspond with her. However, through Rossie, she did receive an invitation to today's meeting. Ms Connell has refused to discuss her affairs with anyone from Dingwall Social Work Department. It was clarified that Police Checks did not need to be carried out on Ms Connell as she is Mandy's mother. What needs to happen is for a dialogue to take place between the Department and Ms Connell, regular visits between Mandy and her mother to be arranged, monitored and if appropriate increased towards overnight stays. The purpose of these visits would be to establish whether Ms Connell could provide accommodation for Mandy which could be a home base once her Secure Order is discharged. Travel costs of these visits could be met by the Social Work Department. The supervision of the visits and support for Mandy and Ms Connell could come from Rossie staff. One setback in this process is that Mandy has been moved from Forth to Tay Unit. It was staff at the Forth Unit who had initiated contact with Ms Connell. This work will now have to be done by staff on the Tay Unit. John Kidd who was observing the meeting stated that his unit staff could take this on. However, this would be yet another new face for Ms Connell to get to know. The objectives for Rossie staff would be:

- a) To establish there are no unsuitable adults residing at Ms Connell's address.
- b) To ensure there is physical space for Mandy at that address.
- c) To assess the likelihood of Mandy and her mother getting along satisfactorily and
- d) To explore any local support that might be available for Mandy and/or her mother.

Grace Welsh's role would be, once Ms Connell's address is known, to establish an alternative home base for Mandy near to her mother. This would mean approaching establishments in the Lothian area to secure a place for Mandy.

Educationally Mandy is doing okay in Tay Unit and is attending her classes in school. She is seen as a very likeable and friendly person who mixes well but likes to be on her own at times. Mandy is following courses for Scotvec Modules at present.

Mandy's next Childrens Panel will be on 22.03.95 and it was agreed that the Reporter would be asked to hold the Hearing at Rossie. This would make it more likely that Ms Connell would be able to attend it. It was also agreed that a further Child In Care Review be held on 15.03.95 to clarify the question of a home base for Mandy.

Mandy seems to be in urgent need of trainers and other items of clothing. Rossie and Grace Welsh would ensure this matter was resolved.

**21. Decisions and Recommendations (include access, parental rights, custodianship, adoption, discharge from Care):**

1. Mandy will remain on Tay Unit on Rossie and not return to Forth Unit. She will therefore have a new Key Worker.
2. Contact - Mandy's Key Worker will arrange for her to visit her mother, establish what accommodation is available for Mandy, and help Mandy and her mother to begin rebuilding their relationship. The Key Worker will need to establish the suitability of any other adults who may reside at Ms Connell's address.
3. Mandy's clothing needs will be attended to.
4. Grace Welsh to ask for next Panel to be held at Rossie.
5. Further Child In Care Review to be held on 15.03.95 at which time her home base will need to be established.

Access Form '0' completed?

Yes

No

Chairperson of Review Meeting:

*Patricia [unclear]*

Designation:

*SW - [unclear]*

Date:

*10.2.95*

Principal Officer:

Date:

## HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL - SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

Compiled by: Grace Welsh

Date: 27.01.95

Updated:

## BASIC INFORMATION SHEET

## FOR

Child in Care Review as per S20A SW (Scotland) Act 1968

1. Date of Review 2.02.95

2. Name of Child AMANDA GOLABEK

3. Date of Birth 12.11.79

4. Home Address

5. Current Address c/o Rossie School, Montrose

6. Child's Parents/Step Parents/Carers

Full Name Mr. Golabek

Legal Relationship Father

Address 66 Firhill, Alness

DOB/Age

7. Other Members of Child's Household

## (a) Family of Origin:

Name	Relationship	DOB/Age
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## (b) Child's Present Substitute Family:

Name	Relationship	DOB/Age
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**8. Dates of Admission to Care, Legal Orders & Variations of Orders or Other Major Events & Previous Reviews:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
June 1989	Admission to Care placement with Frasers	April 1993	Moved to Ferintosh under Sec. 44 (6)
Feb. 1993	Supervision named placement at Coulpark	May 1993	Supervision named placement at Ferintosh
May 1994	Secure placement at Rossie School		

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**9. Other Agencies Involved with Child:**

<b>a)</b>	<b>Name of Doctor</b>	<b>Practice</b>	<b>Address</b>
	School G.P.		
<b>b)</b>	<b>Other</b>		

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**10. School/Nursery/Training Unit Attended by Child:**

<b>Establishment</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>
Ferintosh Education Unit	Ferintosh House Conon Bridge	Peter Jamieson

## 11. Summary of Decisions from last Review

1. Mandy will continue her weekend visits to Ferintosh through the Christmas and New Year holiday.
  2. Ferintosh will try to improve the transport arrangements for Mandy. It was agreed she would 'phone Ferintosh when she arrives at Inverness.
  3. Ferintosh to allocate a room for Mandy as soon as possible.
  4. Cath Neil to be asked to pursue the arrangements for obtaining and funding a college place for Mandy.
  5. Recommendation to the Children's Hearing on 11.1.95 will be to continue the Supervision Order with a Condition of Residence to Ferintosh.
  6. Chris Williams to be asked to address Mandy's clothing and footwear needs.
  7. Mandy to seek advice from her G.P. regarding treatment of her psoriasis not apparently working. Grace Welsh to liaise with Rossie School about the Department's medical form being completed.
  8. Review in 3 months, i.e. mid-March 1995.
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## 12. Dates & Nature of Social Work contact with all concerned:

Last visit to Mandy was at her Children's Hearing on 11th January 1995. There has been continuous contact with staff at Rossie School and Ferintosh House.

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## 13. Brief Background to current admission:

Mandy began her spell in secure accommodation following a Children's Hearing on 24.5.94. At her latest Hearing on 11th January 1995, it was felt that Mandy was still at risk, therefore, a further period of three months was necessary.

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## 14. Description of current situation including: present placement, any changes in home situation, child's health, dental health, school issues, relationship issues, any special needs, and any other significant factors or issues.

Following a Children's Hearing on 11th January 1995, Mandy returned to Rossie School. Home leave to Ferintosh House was due to begin on 13th January. However, Mandy refused to go to Ferintosh, instead returning to Rossie. On 16th January, Mandy was charged with an incident relating to 24th December 1994. At this point Mandy returned to secure accommodation from Forth House. Rossie staff will be available to discuss this issue further. As a result of her return to secure accommodation, Mandy has had no home leave.

It is important to discuss the issues of home leave again, given that Ferintosh House was named by the Children's Hearing. It may be that alternative home bases need to be considered if Mandy herself continues to refuse to go to Ferintosh House.

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## 15. Contact and Access: include comments on present arrangements such as frequency, venue, length of visit, who is involved, child's wishes and any other specific arrangements.

As stated above, home leave to Ferintosh House is an issue to be discussed further.

Mandy has developed her contact with her mother, and has been to visit with her Key Worker. Mandy and her mother are keen for this contact to continue, therefore, it is important to look at access arrangements.

16. **Care Plan: Actions necessary to meet child's needs - include recommendations for changes to present plan.**

All home leave arrangements need to be considered. Contact with mother is important for Mandy and also needs to be reviewed.

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17. **Outline Resources needed (whether or not these are available).**

Alternative home base may be necessary.

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18. **Preparation for Review:**

Report seen by child	Yes/No
Report seen by parent	Yes/No
Report seen by carer/staff	Yes/No
Report seen by Area Manager	Yes/ <del>No</del>
Report sent to Chairperson date -	

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19. **Foster Parent Contact F2 Drawn Up:**

N/A

Date

Reviewed Date

Reviewed Date

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20. **Is an Application to the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board Appropriate:**

~~Yes~~/No

Date Application made

**21. Invited to Attend Review**

Leslie Martin, Reviewing Officer, Wick  
Grace Reid, Unit Manager, Rossie School  
Peter Jamieson, Acting Principal, Ferintosh  
Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall  
Mandy Golabek, Subject  
Ms. Connell, Mandy's Mother

Signed *G Welsh*

Designation Social Worker

Date 30 January 1995

Countersigned *P Jamieson*

Date 1/2/95

# Rossie School

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Report for Review to be held on 2 February 1995

Name: Amanda Golabek

Address: c/o Rossie School, Montrose.

Date of Birth: 12.11.79

Date of Admission: 25.05.94

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Initially when Mandy joined Forth House (Rossie's open provision) on 10.11.94 she was a little unsure of her new surroundings and the freedom that accompanied this, however, she settled quickly and adapted well.

Although she can at times be a bit reluctant to do household chores, she has presented no problems following the independent living programme implemented for her. This involves budgeting, shopping and preparing meals, amongst other general tasks. On the whole Mandy proves to be good company and fairly witty within Forth House, although can be stubborn and moody on occasion when things aren't going her way, the behaviour that most teenagers exhibit.

Mandy presents as a healthy girl with a good appetite and a high standard of personal hygiene. She continues to receive travel sickness pills before any journey, other than that she is on no medication.

Educationally Mandy is a bright and capable girl, excelling in subjects such as Art & Crafts and Design. Mrs Whyte, her educational co-key worker in Rossie, and Cath Neil at Ferintosh, discussed the possibilities of Mandy attending college, they felt she had the ability to do so.

Mandy continues to maintain contact with her older sister, Tina, who resides in Inverness, although this has not been regular weekly contact due to the differences between them on occasion.

More recently Mandy's father was in touch and she visited him and her sister over the Christmas period, whilst on leave at Ferintosh. This was a successful meeting.

On 5 January 1995 I took Mandy for a visit to her mother's home in Leith. They had not seen each other since Mandy was nine years old. Her three younger brothers and older brother were also in the house. The reunion appeared to be very successful; Mandy was accepted and welcomed by the whole family and at the end of the visit

was reluctant to leave. Wendy Connoll (Mandy's mother) stressed that she was very anxious for her to return there and that she would really like to start taking Mandy for weekends with a view to having her at home permanently.

Leaves to Ferintosh have continued throughout Mandy's stay in Rossie and although there have been breakdowns on occasional weekends it has been the ongoing plan that Mandy would go to Ferintosh on a full time basis following her move on from Rossie. At her last local authority Review (16/12/94) it was decided by all concerned that the recommendation to the next Hearing would be that Mandy leave Rossie and return to Ferintosh on a permanent basis.

The Hearing's decision on 11.1.95 was to return Mandy to Rossie, which pleased her as she had written a letter to the Panel members requesting more time here.

Initially Mandy return to Forth House and the plan was to continue leaves to Ferintosh combined with visits to mum's with a view to her having weekends there.

On 13.1.95 Mandy departed for weekend leave as planned but failed to arrive at Ferintosh. She telephoned Rossie and was returned to the secure unit. On the evening of 13.1.95 Mandy was giving staff cause for concern. She left the house and went walking around the buildings without informing anyone. Mr Roberts made the decision to place her in the secure building, because he felt there would be a risk leaving her in the open unit in case she ran away.

Mandy was given three options by Mr Wood, Depute C.E.O.:

1. Remain in Forth and co-operate with the programme laid out for her (including continued visits to mum).
2. An early Hearing would be called.
3. Return to secure and start from scratch, with no privileges.

Mandy chose the latter of the 3 and joined Tay Unit on 16.1.95.

This decision was no surprise to the staff who have worked with Mandy in the past. It was also recognised when she was in Lunan Unit that there was a risk of her becoming institutionalised.

As was said in the Hearing report, up until now Mandy has had no direction or purpose in her life and this is one of the reasons she clings to her peer group in Rossie, to give her a sense of belonging. Now that contact with mum has been established it is hoped that she may perhaps be able to focus her attention on rebuilding that relationship.

Highland Region are still offering a place for Mandy, not necessarily Ferintosh.

We look forward to discussing plans for Mandy's future at the forthcoming Review.

H McDowell, Key Worker  
27 January 1995.

REVIEW REPORT

Amanda Jane Golabek

Date of Birth: 12.11.79

Home and Family:

Since Mandy's re-admission on 24.3.95, attempts have been made to further explore the openings which have developed during her stay at Rossie School. Access to her father is now permissible.

It is hoped that this avenue can be further developed in order to give Mandy a regular introduction into community living again, although at present Mandy only sees visits to her father as acceptable when her sister Tina is at home.

At the time of writing it is hoped to explore the possibility of Mandy having contact with her step-sister, Siobhan, who is now resident in Inverness. *af* \*

It also may be possible for Mandy to visit her mother in Leith, although it is felt she is at the present feeling aggrieved at not being allowed to stay there full time. \*

*→ by Mum?*

Physical and Medical Factors:

No medical conditions - fit and healthy.

Education/Employment:

See Education Report

Trends in Conduct:

\* During the weeks Mandy has been back in residence at Ferintosh she has absented herself on two occasions. Again, on both occasions, these have come after a dispute or refusal and this has become a regular and worrying aspect of Mandy's behaviour. Her ability to talk through situations and resolve them in a rational manner is still not developed. *keep people informed*

Within the Unit, Mandy is pleasant and friendly company but still can become sullen and moody without apparent cause.

Action Recommended:

Mandy needs as a matter of urgency to accept that although Ferintosh is not her ideal choice for a living base, there are people within it who are more than willing to assist her in

moving forward. She has to focus on her future and make clear decisions about where she is going, whilst she still has the support around her.

The comment from Rossie School of January 1995 is still valid:-

"Mandy has been lost with no direction or purpose in her life and this is one of the reasons she clings to her peer group in Rossie, to give her a sense of belonging".

Ferintosh House  
Regional Children's Centre  
Sellar Place  
Conon Bridge

20th April 1995

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Date 20th March 1995

Mr Golabek  
66 Firhill  
ALNESS  
Ross-Shire

Dear Mr Golabek

This letter is to give you written confirmation of the decisions taken at the Child In Care Review meeting held on 15.03.95 regarding your daughter Mandy.

The decisions of the meeting were as follows:

1. It was felt that Mandy no longer needs to be at Rossie nor does she meet the criteria for a Secure Accommodaiton Order.
2. There still remain three options to recommend to the Childrens Panel next week namely Coulpark Childrens Centre, a community caring placement in Conon Bridge, or placement with Ms Connell if her co-operation can be secured. Mandy needs to indicate to the Panel which option she favours.
3. Contact - Mandy will be encouraged and supported in maintaining contact with all members of her family as she wishes.
4. Education - It is not recommended that Mandy return to school as it is believed she would be well able to cope with education in College and this would serve her best interests.
5. Opportunities should be provided for Mandy to have careers guidance.
6. Next Review will depend on Hearing decision but should be within a few weeks of Mandy moving to her next placement.

I have to inform you of your right to appeal the decisions of this review. Any such appeal should be addressed to Ron Taylor, Principal Officer (Children & Family Services), Wick. If you have any queries about the contents of this letter please raise them with Grace Welsh, Social Worker or Jenny Tidey, Area Manager at Dingwall Social Work Department.

Yours sincerely

**LESLIE MARTIN**  
**REVIEWING OFFICER**

cc Jenny Tidey, Area Manager, Dingwall  
Grace Welsh, Social Worker, Dingwall

same letter sent to mother, Mrs Connell.

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Date 10th February 1995

Ms Connell  
c/o Rossie House School  
MONTROSE  
Tayside

Dear Ms Connell

This letter is to give you written confirmation of the decisions taken at the Child In Care Review meeting held on 02.02.95 regarding your daughter **Amanda**. I am sorry you felt unable to attend.

The decisions of the meeting were as follows:

1. Mandy will remain on Tay Unit on Rossie and not return to Forth Unit. She will therefore have a new Key Worker.
2. Contact - Mandy's Key Worker will arrange for her to visit her mother, establish what accommodation is available for Mandy, and help Mandy and her mother to begin rebuilding their relationship. The Key Worker will need to establish the suitability of any other adults who may reside at Ms Connell's address.
3. Mandy's clothing needs will be attended to.
4. Grace Welsh to ask for next Panel to be held at Rossie.
5. Further Child In Care Review to be held on 15.03.95 at which time her home base will need to be established.

I do hope you will be able to work with us to help us establish whether Mandy will be able to move towards having her home base with yourself.

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Yours sincerely

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