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BEST INTERESTS REVIEWED: United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust v N [2014] EWCOP 16

Nageena Khalique, Head of Public Law at No5 Chambers, looks at the decision of Court of Protection in United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust v N [2014] EWCOP 16, where the law in respect of best interests in maintaining artificial nutrition in the context of a minimally conscious patient was reviewed and expanded.

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Jenny Wigley looks at the implications of the Criminal Justice and Courts Bill, which introduces significant changes to judicial review and discusses "cost capping" which could prevent many "public interest cases" from coming to Court.

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Hashi Mohammed reviews and grapples with the sensitive human rights issues in the Tony Nicklinson "right to die" case before the Supreme Court.

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