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Morning all,

It is now Wednesday and to my knowledge, we have had neither a response to email sent to PT lawyer last Friday nor any response to 2 emails this week. I am of the view that this cannot be tolerated. I know and are both tied up today with interviews and doesn't work on a Wednesday.

Can I suggest that and I aim to speak at some point today with a view to us discussing and agreeing our next steps when we meet tomorrow (we have a pre-meet in the diary which now looks like it won't be needed for that purpose). With this stalemate going on, I think we have no other option but to say that we will not be renewing their contract.

Of course, we could be surprised and get responses today.

– let me know when you are free?

Kind regards,

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