Report of Institutional Review Board

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This letter is to inform you of the results of your confidential.

Type of Review	■ Initial Review □ Tabled □ final report	□ Response for Appro □ Modification □ ca □ interim report □ ot	ncellation of protocol	□ Deferred□ end of study report
IRB No.	4-2016-1023		Date of approval	Jan.12 th , 2017
Title of Proposal	Is the neoadjvant chemoradiotherapy really beneficial for locally advanced perihilar cholangiocarcinoma?			
	Protocol No.	-	Version No.	
Investigator	Principal Investigator: Seungmin Bang, MD, PhD/ Professor / Division of Gastroenterology, Department of Internal Medicine, Yonsei University College of Medicine			
Generic name		-	Brand Name	<u> </u>
Phase	□ Phase I □ Phase II □ Phase IV □ Biological equivalence test ■ Others			
Proposed period of study	Approval date of IRB ~ for 6 months			
Contents of Review	 <u>X Lists of initial review</u> 1. Application Form 2. Retrospective Study Protocol 3. Case Report Form 4. Informed consent waiver form 5. CV for Investigator 			
Date of Review	Jan.12 th , 2017			
Result of Review	■Approved(exemption) □ Approval with Modification □ Deferred □ tabled			
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