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Dear Dr Rangan

HREC reference number: HREC/09/WMEAD/305

SSA reference number: SSA/12/WMEAD/327

Project title: Vitamin D3 receptor signalling to prevent kidney failure due to polycystic kidney disease

Protocol number: Version 1 dated November 2009

Thank you for submitting an application for authorisation of this project. I am pleased to inform you that authorisation has been granted for this study to take place at the following site:

- Westmead Hospital

The approved information and consent documents for use at this site are:

- Westmead Hospital Participant Information Sheet and Consent Form version 2 dated 5 September 2012 based on master version 2 dated 10 February 2010

The following conditions apply to this research project. These are additional to those conditions imposed by the Human Research Ethics Committee that granted ethical approval:

1. Proposed amendments to the research protocol or conduct of the research which may affect the ethical acceptability of the project, and which are submitted to the lead HREC for review, are copied to the research governance officer;
2. Proposed amendments to the research protocol or conduct of the research which may affect the ongoing site acceptability of the project, are to be submitted to the research governance officer.

Yours faithfully

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