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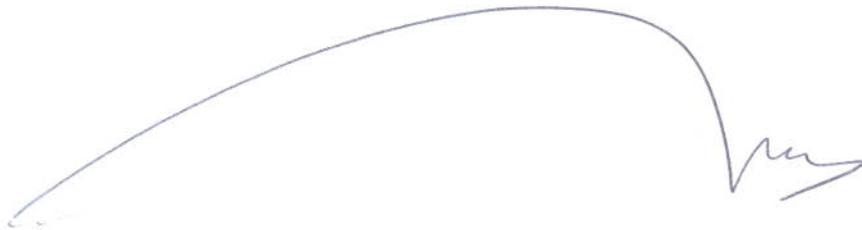
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**12-month efficacy and safety of the conversion to everolimus in maintenance heart transplant recipients**

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