Norfolk Research Ethics Committee

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Dear Mr. Al-Dadah

Full title of study: Anterior Cruciate Ligament: Static Drawer MRI and Proprioception Analysis REC reference number: 07/H0310/123

Thank you for your letter of 18 September 2007, responding to the Committee's request for further information on the above research and submitting revised documentation.

The further information has been considered on behalf of the Committee by the Vice-Chair Dr Elizabeth Lund together with Mr Michael Flowerdew and Mr Azad Mathur.

Confirmation of ethical opinion

On behalf of the Committee, I am pleased to confirm a favourable ethical opinion for the above research on the basis described in the application form, protocol and supporting documentation as revised.

Ethical review of research sites

The favourable opinion applies to the research sites listed on the attached form.

Conditions of approval

The favourable opinion is given provided that you comply with the conditions set out in the attached document. You are advised to study the conditions carefully.

Statement of compliance

The Committee is constituted in accordance with the Governance Arrangements for Research Ethics Committees (July 2001) and complies fully with the Standard Operating Procedures for Research Ethics Committees in the UK.

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With the Committee's best wishes for the success of this project

Yours sincerely

Dr Elizabeth Lund BSc MMSc PGCE PhD Vice-Chair