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Dear Dr Eccles

Study title: A Prospective study of the outcomes of treatment in Sporadic versus Hereditary breast cancer.
REC reference: MREC/00/6/69
Amendment number: 4
Amendment date: 21 July 2009 (Modified 24 August 2009)

Thank you for submitting the above amendment, which was received on 02 September 2009. It is noted that this is a modification of an amendment previously rejected by the Committee (our letter of 07 August 2009 refers).

The modified amendment has been considered on behalf of the Committee by the Chair.

Ethical opinion

I am pleased to confirm that the Committee has given a favourable ethical opinion of the modified amendment on the basis described in the notice of amendment form and supporting documentation.

Approved documents

The documents reviewed and approved are:

Document	Version	Date
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMPs)	4	21 July 2009
Covering Letter		25 August 2009
Modified Amendment	4	24 August 2009
Protocol	3	19 August 2009

R&D approval

All investigators and research collaborators in the NHS should notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment and check whether it affects R&D approval of the research.

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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Yours sincerely



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