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Dear Professor Samani

| Study title: | The GENVASC Study: Genetics and the Vascular Health Check Programme |
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| REC reference: | 12/EM/0208 |
| Amendment number: | New PI 23.07.2015 |
| Amendment date: | 20 July 2015 |
| IRAS project ID: | 107325 |

Thank you for your letter of 20 July 2015, notifying the Committee of the above amendment.

The Committee does not consider this to be a "substantial amendment" as defined in the Standard Operating Procedures for Research Ethics Committees. The amendment does not therefore require an ethical opinion from the Committee and may be implemented immediately, provided that it does not affect the approval for the research given by the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation.

Documents received

The documents received were as follows:

| Document | Version | Date |
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| Covering letter on headed paper | | 20 July 2015 |
| Notice of Minor Amendment | | 20 July 2015 |
| Other [CV for Dr Shora Montgomerie] | | 17 June 2015 |
| Other [GCP Certificate for Dr Shora Montgomerie] | | 30 June 2015 |

Statement of compliance

The Committee is constituted in accordance with the Governance Arrangements for Research Ethics Committees 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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