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Mengle Zhang
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Dear Mengle

PROJECT TITLE: Estimating the effect of crime (maps) on house prices using a natural experiment

APPLICATION: Reference Number 043654

This letter confirms that you have signed a University Research Ethics Committee-approved self-declaration to confirm that your research will involve only existing research, clinical or other data that has been robustly anonymised. You have judged it to be unlikely that this project would cause offence to those who originally provided the data, should they become aware of it.

As such, on behalf of the University Research Ethics Committee, I can confirm that your project can go ahead on the basis of this self-declaration.

If during the course of the project you need to [deviate significantly from the above-approved documentation](#) please inform me since full ethical review may be required.

Yours sincerely

Rachael Reitz
Departmental Ethics Administrator