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**Algorithm 8:** RefineCandidates

**ConfigParams:** noSimulations,  $\overrightarrow{PB}$ , CB, maxSimBudget, budgetDelta, budgetThreshold

$\text{newCandSet}_2 \leftarrow$  Perform simulations and store candidates from  $\text{acceptedCandSet}_2$  that return the *result* as *accept* from

`PerformStochasticSimulations` (Algorithm 5) and whose O.m is statistically better than  $\hat{O}.m$  with at least CB confidence

**3** budget  $\leftarrow 1$

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5 repeat
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7   for  $c \in \text{acceptedCandSet}$  do

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9	if result is accept then
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11	else if result is reject then
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13	end
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15 | iterationNo  $\leftarrow$  iterationNo + 1
    | while (iterationNo  $\leq$  T) {

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17  $\text{bestCandidate} \leftarrow \{c \in \text{acceptedCandSet} \mid O.m_c = \hat{O}.m\}$ 

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A1 = 31 = 0. For  $\epsilon = 1$ , LOGPA

**ConfigParams:** noSimulations, budgetDelta

$$\text{bestCand} \leftarrow \arg \min_{i \in \text{acceptedCandSet}} \text{O.m}_i \text{ s.t. } \forall_{i \in \mathcal{D}} (SC.m_i \geq PB_i) \geq CB$$
$$3 \quad \Theta_F \leftarrow \left\{ i | i \in \text{acceptedCandSet}, i \neq \text{bestCand}, \frac{(SC.m_{s,i} - PB_{s,i})}{SC.sd_{s,i}} > \frac{(O.m_i - O.m_{\text{bestCand}})}{O.sd_i} \right\}$$

<sup>5</sup>  $\forall_{i \in \text{acceptedCandSet} \setminus \{\text{bestCand}\}} \alpha_i \leftarrow$  proportional to  $\eta_i$ , i.e.,  $(\alpha_i/\alpha_j) = (\eta_i/\eta_j)^2$  for all  $i \neq j \neq \text{bestCand}$

$$7 \quad \alpha_O \leftarrow O.sd_{bestC} \text{ and } \sqrt{\sum_{i \in \Theta_O} (\alpha_i / O.sd_i)^2}$$
$$\mathbf{9} \quad \alpha_{bestCand} \leftarrow \max(\alpha_F, \alpha_O)$$

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11 return  $\vec{N}$ 

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