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Dear Dr Butler,

HREC Reference number: HREC/17/QTHS/102

Project title: Effect of intraoperative magnesium on the incidence of chronic post surgical pain after thoracotomy

Thank you for submitting an amendment for the above mentioned study on 18/09/2017.
The correspondence was reviewed at the meeting of the Chairperson held on 19/09/2017.

The amended documents reviewed and approved at the meeting were:

Document	Version	Date
<i>Notification of amendment:</i> Addition of Clinician information sheet and Emergency contact card		18.09.17
Clinician information sheet	1.0	03.09.17
Emergency contact card	1.0	03.09.17

The Townsville Hospital and Health Service HREC is constituted according to the National Health and Medical Research Council's '*National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research*' (NHMRC, 2007). The Townsville Hospital and Health Service HREC operates in accordance with the '*Values and Ethics: Guidelines for Ethical Conduct in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Research*' (NHMRC, 2003); and the '*National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research*' (NHMRC, 2007).

Please notify the Research Governance Office/r at each site of the amendment, and provide a copy of this letter with a copy of the supporting documents as listed above.

It should be noted that all requirements of the original approval still apply.

Kind regards,



A/Prof Nikola Stepanov PhD (Melb)
Chairperson
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Human Research Ethics Committee