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Your REF. No. 933-2020.

Dr. Ketty Mwansa Lubeya, University of Zambia, School of Medicine, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Women and Newborn Hospital, P.O. Box 50110, Lusaka.

Dear Dr. Lubeya,

RE: "A RANDOMISED CONTROLLED TRIAL TO ASSESS THE PHARMACOKINETICS AND PHARMACODYNAMICS OF INTRAMUSCULAR, INTRAVENOUS AND ORAL ADMINISTRATION OF TRANEXAMIC ACID IN WOMEN GIVING BIRTH BY CAESAREAN SECTION" (VERSION 1.2) (REF. NO. 933-2020)

The above-mentioned research proposal was presented to the Biomedical Research Ethics Committee on 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2020. The proposal is **approved**. The approval is based on the following documents that were submitted for review:

- a) Study proposal
- b) Questionnaires
- c) Participant Consent Form

## APPROVAL NUMBER

: REF. 933-2020

This number should be used on all correspondence, consent forms and documents as appropriate.

- APPROVAL DATE : 27<sup>th</sup> May 2020
   TYPE OF APPROVAL : Standard
- EXPIRATION DATE OF APPROVAL : 26th May 2021

After this date, this project may only continue upon renewal. For purposes of renewal, a progress report on a standard form obtainable from the UNZABREC Offices should be submitted one month before the expiration date for continuing review.

• **SERIOUS ADVERSE EVENT REPORTING**: All SAEs and any other serious challenges/problems having to do with participant welfare, participant safety and study integrity must be reported to UNZABREC within 3 working days using standard forms obtainable from UNZABREC.

- **MODIFICATIONS**: Prior UNZABREC approval using standard forms obtainable from the UNZABREC Offices is required before implementing any changes in the Protocol (including changes in the consent documents).
- **TERMINATION OF STUDY**: On termination of a study, a report must be submitted to the UNZABREC using standard forms obtainable from the UNZABREC Offices.
- NHRA: You are advised to obtain final study clearance and approval to conduct research in Zambia from the National Health Research Authority (NHRA) before commencing the research project.
- **QUESTIONS**: Please contact the UNZABREC on Telephone No.256067 or by e-mail on unzarec@unza.zm.
- **OTHER**: Please be reminded to send in copies of your research findings/results for our records. You're also required to submit electronic copies of your publications in peer-reviewed journals that may emanate from this study. Use the online portal: unza.rhinno.net for further submissions.

Yours sincerely,

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