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acknowledgement letter from
the REC only and does not
allow you to start your study
at NHS sites in England until
you receive HRA Approval**

07 October 2019

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Dear Professor Schilder

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| Study title: | Prognostic factors for outcomes of idiopathic Sudden onset Sensorineural Hearing Loss: the SeaSheL national prospective cohort study |
| REC reference: | 19/NW/0556 |
| Protocol number: | 124643 |
| IRAS project ID: | 258494 |

Thank you for your letter of 24 September 2019. I can confirm the REC has received the documents listed below and that these comply with the approval conditions detailed in our letter dated 05 September 2019

Documents received

The documents received were as follows:

| <i>Document</i> | <i>Version</i> | <i>Date</i> |
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| Copies of advertisement materials for research participants | 1.0 | 23 September 2019 |
| Evidence of Sponsor insurance or indemnity (non NHS Sponsors only) [2019-2020] | | |
| Non-validated questionnaire [Hearing Handicap Inventory Elderly] | 1.1 | 14 September 2019 |
| Non-validated questionnaire [Hearing Handicap Inventory Adults] | 1.1 | 14 September 2019 |
| Participant consent form | 1.1 | 14 September 2019 |
| Participant information sheet (PIS) | 1.1 | 14 September 2019 |

You should ensure that the sponsor has a copy of the final documentation for the study. It is the sponsor's responsibility to ensure that the documentation is made available to R&D offices at all participating sites.

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| 19/NW/0556 | Please quote this number on all correspondence |
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Yours sincerely



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