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**Dr. Raza Sayyed** Department of Surgery, Patel Hospital **Karachi Pakistan** 

## Subject: GlobalSurg-CovidSurg Week: Determining the Optimal Timing for surgery following SARS-CoV-2 infection (COVID-36).

## Dear Dr. Raza Sayyed

I am pleased to inform you that the above-mentioned project has been approved by the "Research Ethics Committee" of "National Bioethics Committee" for a period of six months.

For the continuation of project in the next term, you have to send a progress report and a formal request for continuation of project (however, you do not need to submit REC application or pay any processing fee again).

Kindly keep the National Bioethics Committee, Secretariat updated about the progress of the project on monthly basis. In case of any amendments in the original protocol or any adverse events immediate information along with steps taken for the participants of research needs to be submitted to the Secretariat.

You are requested to kindly submit the formal final report upon the completion of project.

Yours sincerely

(Prof. Dr. Saima Perwaiz Iqbal) Chairperson NBC-Research Ethics Committee

NBC Secretariat: