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Appendix 1: Hertfordshire Partnership Trust Research & Development Approval R&D Office Department of Psychiatry QEII Hospital Howlands Welwyn Garden City AL7 4HQ

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Dear Heather,

The effectiveness of a user-led lifestyle development group training intervention for people with bipolar affective disorder

Thank-you for sending me the completed R&D registration form and protocol for the above study.

I am pleased to tell you that the R&D Committee approved the project on 2nd June. The project is now registered with the Trust and can now be submitted for ethical approval this month. I wish you good luck with this study and will be very interested to hear how it progresses.

Yours sincerely,

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