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**Sub:** Post discharge outcomes of COVID-19 patients following admission to Intensive care unit. A prospective cohort study

**Dear Dr. Soni**

This is with reference to your letter regarding your above mentioned project, clarifying the queries raised by the Ethics Committee on 17.04.2020. The clarifications have been reviewed and documents are **"Approved from ethical angle prospectively w.e.f. 30<sup>th</sup> April 2020"**

- The study is valid for the entire period of the conduct of study according to this protocol under the responsibility of **Dr. Kapil Dev Soni**, Principal Investigator.
- It is confirmed that the Ethics Committee of AIIMS is composed of and functions as per ICH GCP and other applications regulatory guidelines.
- No significant changes to the research protocol should be made and implemented without prior consent of the IEC and any charges/derivations from the protocol which increase the risk for the subjects should be submitted to the IEC and approved prior to implementation.
- It is hereby confirmed that neither you nor any of the study team members have participated in the voting/decision making procedures of the committee.
- IEC should be informed about all SAE's occurring in the study as per DCGI guidelines. The Study progress report should be made available to the IEC for review annually.

With best regards,  
Your sincerely,

**(Dr. Atul Sharma)**  
Member Secretary Ethics Committee