



THE HOSPITAL FOR
SICK CHILDREN

RESEARCH ETHICS BOARD

January 11, 2008

Dr. Christopher Caldarone
Cardiovascular Surgery
The Hospital for Sick Children

Dear Dr. Caldarone:

Your study "Optimal Management of Critical Left Ventricular Outflow Tract Obstruction: A Congenital Heart Surgeons' Society Study"

REB File No.: 1000006372

On behalf of the REB, I am writing to confirm that the above noted study was re-approved by the REB for one year ending in January 2009. The REB approved continuing review at level 1B. As necessary, the Clinical Research Office will be contacting you to arrange follow-up.

Please note that, in accordance with the Personal Health Information Protection Act of Ontario, you are responsible for adhering to all conditions and restrictions imposed by the REB governing the use, security, disclosure, return and disposal of the research subjects' personal health information. You are also responsible for reporting immediately any privacy breaches to the REB Chair and to Janice Campbell, the Sick Kids privacy officer.

Yours truly,

Richard Sugarman
Chair, Research Ethics Board

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