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Dear Rupert

Study title:	Prevention of Respiratory Insufficiency after Surgical Management (PRISM) Trial: A pragmatic randomised controlled trial of continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) to prevent respiratory complications and improve
	survival following major abdominal surgery
REC reference:	15/LO/1595
Protocol number:	10443
Amendment number:	Amendment 1
Amendment date:	01 March 2016
IRAS project ID:	183040
Summary:	Changes to the protocol

Thank you for submitting the above amendment, which was received on 08 April 2016. I can confirm that this is a valid notice of a substantial amendment and will be reviewed by the Sub-Committee of the REC at its next meeting.

Documents received

The documents to be reviewed are as follows:

Document	Version	Date
Covering letter on headed paper		08 April 2016
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMP)	Amendment 1	01 March 2016
Research protocol or project proposal [Summary of Changes]	1.5	01 March 2016
Research protocol or project proposal [Clean]	1.5	01 March 2016
Research protocol or project proposal [Tracked]	1.5	01 March 2016

Notification of the Committee's decision

The Committee will issue an ethical opinion on the amendment within a maximum of 35 days from the date of receipt.

R&D approval

All investigators and research collaborators in the NHS should notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment and check whether it affects R&D approval for the research.

We are pleased to welcome researchers and R & D staff at our NRES committee members' training days – see details at <u>http://www.hra.nhs.uk/hra-training/</u>

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