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Dear Sir,

Institutional Review Board (Ethics Committee) Exemption for the project "Incidence, Microbiology, and Outcomes of Endophthalmitis after 111,876 Pars Plana Vitrectomies at a Single, Tertiary Eye Care Hospital"

Your proposal titled "Incidence, Microbiology, and Outcomes of Endophthalmitis after 111,876 Pars Plana Vitrectomies at a Single, Tertiary Eye Care Hospital", was reviewed by the institution review board and has been approved.

Yours sincerely,

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