The Research Ethics Committee, Faculty Health Sciences, University of Pretoria complies with ICH-GCP guidelines and has US Federal wide Assurance.

- FWA 00002567, Approved dd 22 May 2002 and Expires 20 Oct 2016.
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Faculty of Health Sciences Research Ethics Committee

26/03/2015

## Certificate New Application

Ethics Reference No.: 88/2015

**Title:** The antimicrobial effect of colistin methanesulfonate (polymyxin E) on multi – drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis strains in vitro

Dear Beaumont, Johanna JA; van Breda, Shane SV; Stoltz, Anton AC

The **New Application** as supported by documents specified in your cover letter dated 2/03/2015 for your research received on the 2/03/2015, was discussed by the Faculty of Health Sciences Research Ethics Committee at its quorate meeting of 25/03/2015.

## **Conditions:**

- Post completion submission received
- Our Research Ethics Committee cannot give post facto approval.
- However as this is a low risk laboratory study the Ethics Committee of the FHS state that no harm was done by this laboratory research and the protocol is ethically sound.

We wish you the best with your research.

## Yours sincerely

\*\* Kindly collect your original signed approval certificate from our offices, Faculty of Health Sciences, Research Ethics Committee, H W Snyman South Building, Room 2.33 / 2.34.

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The Faculty of Health Sciences Research Ethics Committee complies with the SA National Act 61 of 2003 as it pertains to health research and the United States Code of Federal Regulations Title 45 and 46. This committee abides by the ethical norms and principles for research, established by the Declaration of Helsinki, the South African Medical Research Council Guidelines as well as the Guidelines for Ethical Research: Principles Structures and Processes 2004 (Department of Health).