



**APPROVAL OF THE CLINICAL TRIALS AND ETHICS COMMITTEE**

**Cystic Fibrosis Registry (Hospital de Cruces - Osakidetza - Spain)**

Dña. **AMAIA MARTÍNEZ GALARZA**, Secretary of the Clinical Trials and Ethics Committee of the Hospital de Cruces, Barakaldo-Bizkaia, SPAIN

**CERTIFIES:**

That this Committee has evaluated the proposal to carry out the **European Cystic Fibrosis Registry (ECFR) Protocol**, presented by the International European Cystic Fibrosis Society (ECFS) Research Group (Dr. Carlos Vazquez Cordero – Co-ordinator of the European Cystic Fibrosis Registry (ECFR) - Hospital de Cruces - Osakidetza group) and considers:

That the study protocol is in accordance with the proposed objectives and any potential inconvenience to the study subjects is justified and a proper compensation is foreseen. Informed consent of all participating subjects will be properly obtained. The ability of the research group is adequate and the means to be employed are sufficient.

Thus, the Committee considers that the **ECFR Protocol** complies with the general rules of our country concerning research and agrees to accept it to be carried out from the date below at the Hospital de Cruces, acting Dr. Carlos Vazquez Cordero as Co-ordinator.

Barakaldo, Spain, January, 26<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Signed:

Dña. Amaia Martínez Galarza  
Secretary of the Clinical Research Ethic Committee  
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