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Dear Dr. Melis,

On behalf of the research ethics committee of the Radboud University Medical Center, I hereby inform you that studies using TOPICS-MDS fall outside the remit of the Medical Research Involving Human Subjects Act (WMO). Therefore, such studies may be carried out in the Netherlands without additional approval by an accredited research ethics committee.

Best regards,
On behalf of the CMO Regio Arnhem-Nijmegen



Dr F. Huysmans, Chairman

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