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Dear _____

Final Appraisal Determination: immunosuppressive therapy for kidney transplantation in Children and Young People

Thank you for your letter of 3 February, responding to my initial scrutiny of the ESPRIT group's appeal against the above Final Appraisal Determination (FAD). I am grateful for your confirmation that the appeal under Ground 2 is against all the drugs listed at recommendation 1.4 of the FAD and that I have correctly interpreted point 2.3 of your original letter.

I can now let you have my final scrutiny decision. As I indicated in my earlier letter, I consider all the appeal points ESPRIT have made to be valid subject to the clarification of point 2.3. There will be an oral hearing, details of which have been separately notified to you.

Yours sincerely

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