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Single Technology Appraisal (STA)

Everolimus for the second-line treatment of metastatic renal cell carcinoma

Dear Karen

Re: Your request for further information about the adjustments made by the ERG to the Novartis probabilistic model (see email below).

The mean output of £51,661 per QALY gained (from scenario A) was derived from the probabilistic analysis with the model run for 1000 iterations rather than 100. No specific or additional alterations were made to the parameters of the model as presented by Novartis.

Attached is the original ERG analysis report for reference (you will already have a copy of this with the evaluation report).

If you have any further queries or require additional information please contact (insert name).

Best regards Rebecca

Rebecca Pye

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From:

Sent: 23 November 2010 10:26

To: Rebecca Pve

Cc: Lori Farrar; Frances Sutcliffe; Rebecca Trowman

Subject: Re: FAD to consultees: Renal cell carcinoma (second line

Appendix 3 - Email sent from Novartis on 23.11.10 and Response Dated 6.12.10

metastatic) - everolimus

Importance: High

Dear Rebecca

Please could we request a copy of the adjustments made by PenTAG to our probabilistic model to generate the probabilistic mean ICER of £51.7k/QALY. although we have a copy of the report entitled, "Everolimus response to Additional Sensitivity Analyses" it is not absolutely clear how PenTAG have made the adjustments. It would therefore be valuable for us to have a copy of the adjusted model at you earliest convenience in order to understand exactly how the £51.7k/QALY was derived.

Many thanks,

Kind regards

Karen

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