

**FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

**RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE**

**REVIEW TEMPLATE 2019.05.01 (V5)**

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| **Name of Applicant** |  |
| **Title of Project** |  |
| **Degree** |  |
| **Department** |  |
| **Supervisor/s** |  |
| **Date of REC meeting** |  |

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| **GENERAL ASPECTS** | | | |
|  | **Yes** | **No** | **Comment** |
| Is there a scientific basis for initiating the study? |  |  |  |
| Does the study include participants who may be considered vulnerable? |  |  |  |
| If yes, does the proposal include adequate measures to protect the participants? |  |  |  |

**PLEASE INDICATE WHICH STATEMENT IS APPLICABLE:**

1. This study presents minimal physical, psychological, social

or economic risk to participants

2. This study presents more than minimal physical,

psychological, social or economic risks to participants

**PLEASE EVALUATE THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS OF THE PROPOSAL:**

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|  | **N/A** | **Satisfactory** | **Requires**  **Clarity** | **Incomplete** | **Unsatisfac-tory** | **Comments** |
| 1 | Fair selection or recruitment procedures |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Fair incentives to participate (no undue inducement) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Participant Information/  Invitation sheet adequate (Participants should be invited to participate in the study; they should be informed on what the study involves; the risks and or benefits, if any. Voluntary participation should be guaranteed; confidentiality assured and the foras on which the findings will be shared, clearly spelt out.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | Participant consent form adequate (Research participants should be given an opportunity to confirm that they have been fully informed about the study; that they understand that their personal details will be kept confidential; that they can withdraw their consent and participation at any time without incurring any penalties and that they have given consent to participate in the study and to be tape-recorded.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | The right to privacy, confidentiality and anonymity is upheld |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | The right to equality, justice, human dignity/life and protection against harm is upheld |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

**Tick one option only:**

1. Approve research as submitted

2. Approve research with recommendations for minor changes

3. Recommend major revision and resubmission is required (specify below)

4. Proposal rejected (Specify below)

COMMENTS:

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Name of reviewer:

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Signature of reviewer Date: