

**The 209th joint meeting of Human Investigation Committee and Ethics Committee for Genome Research (Expedited review)**

Date: July 1, 2015 (Wednesday), 13:15 - 14:25

Place: C-211 (Hiroshima), 3rd fl. meeting room (Nagasaki) (teleconference)

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	Department	Research project title	Review results	Summary
1	Genetics	Partial change to the explanatory note for the informed consent forms used in RP 1-01 “Culture of lymphoblastoid cell lines as sources of biological samples for investigation of genetic effects of radiation on children of atomic-bomb survivors. The acquisition of signed informed consent forms from the donors (or their proxies) for whom permanent cell lines have been established (Addendum to RP 5-85),”	Approved	◆ It is necessary to comply with the Ethical Guidelines for Medical and Health Research Involving Human Subjects, Ethical Guidelines for Research Involving Human Genome/Gene Analysis, and the foundation’s internal rule of prohibition against taking the RP out of RERF, and ensure that those providing their consent based on the explanatory note before revision not suffer disadvantages. The authors are requested to consider specific steps to be taken for those wishing for disclosure of the RP and submit the steps in writing to us.

\*The above Research Protocol was approved after confirmation that the relevant modifications were made properly.