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Dear Dr Longson,

**Bortezomib monotherapy for relapsed multiple myeloma – Appeal against FAD**

Please find attached a joint appeal submission from Myeloma UK, Cancerbackup and Leukaemia CARE in response to the recently released Final Appraisal Determination on bortezomib monotherapy. Also attached is an electronic copy of a letter that is made reference to in point 1.3 of our submission.

We hope that the submitted points are duly considered and upheld by the Institute.

Yours sincerely

Chief Executive  
Myeloma UK

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