**ANNEX ONE *Department for Health***

***Research Ethics Approval Committee for Health***

*Checklist for all researchers*

The Department for Health requires all members of staff and students who are planning research projects to consider the ethical implications of the work which they undertake. This is important in all research projects, but is ***essential*** in those projects which involve human participants.

The Department has agreed on an ethical review process which has a fast track for those projects which either do not have ethical implications and thus do not require full scrutiny, or where scrutiny will be given by another body (in particular an NHS Research Ethics Committee [REC]). Projects that fall outside of these categories will need to make a full submission to the Research Ethics Approval Committee for Health.

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| **Name:** | **Liam James Robinson** |
| **Project Title:** | Neuromuscular, physiological and perceptual responses to linear vs. multidirectional high intensity running sessions in academy rugby union players. |

**PART A: Determining the nature of your research and the route for ethical approval you need . to follow** (please tick the route you will follow for your ethical approval):

My research project has been successful in receiving external funding by the ESRC

**(full consideration is required by the SSREC. Further details can be obtained from:**

**http://www.bath.ac.uk/internal/research/ssrec/. For audit purposes a copy of the SSREC application**

**& decision letter as well as this form and EIRA1 will need to be returned to the Department**

**for Health Department Co-ordinator) (Annex 3)** ⬜

My proposal is currently at the stage of application for funding (tick box)

Please complete annex 1 & 2 for REACH audit purposes. Further approval may be

required once funding is approved (please refer to relevant statement below) ⬜

My research project does not involve the use of human subjects or only involves secondary

data analysis **(full consideration is not required, complete the checklist and the**

**implications form for audit purposes and return to the Department Co-ordinator; Principal investigator,second reader and researcher to sign and return to the Department**

**Co-ordinator (Annex 2 or 3))** ⬜

My research meets the requirements for submission to an NHS REC (e.g. Involves human

subjects, requires access to NHS patients or includes adults lacking capacity)

**(full consideration is required by the appropriate NHS REC; complete the checklist**

**and ethical implications form for audit purposes and return to the Department**

**Co-ordinator (Annex 2 or 3) together with the evidence of NRES approval)** ⬜

(Where NHS REC approval is required, please provide details of who is sponsoring this project)

The University is acting as a sponsor for my research. ⬜

My research has received approval from another department within the University of Bath

or another UK University ethics committee. Complete the checklist, together with Annex 2 or

3 and submit with evidence of the institutions approval ⬜

My research involves human subjects and does not take place in an NHS context

**(full consideration is required by REACH (Annex 2 or 3 and Annex 4))** ⬜

**My research involves human subjects and takes place outside of the UK, and for**

**which particular consideration needs to be given**

**(full consideration is required by REACH - Annex 2 or 3 and Annex 4))**  ⬜

My research involves working with children and/or vulnerable adults

(a DBS check may also be required in addition to the above) ⬜

My research involves the collection and storage (not destroyed on day of collection)

of human tissue. (Full consideration from an NRES approved committee is required in ⬜

addition to the above)

Where NHS REC approval is required, please provide details of who is sponsoring this project ⬜