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Dear Otieno,

**REF: AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT RESEARCH**

Your communication dated 26/8/2011 refers.

The title of your study is noted to be "*Factors influencing utilization of health services in Kenya: the case of Homa Bay County*".

Authority is hereby granted to conduct the said study and this office should be notified of the results following its completion. A copy of your research report should be submitted to the Ministry of Medical Services. Division of Research and Development.

**DR. S. M. MAGADA  
FOR: DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES**

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