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**Response to the addendum to the “Neurofeedback for tinnitus” application to the Ethics Committee of the Department of Psychology (file number 2018-04k)**

Dear Dr. Weise,

There are no fundamental ethical objections to the modifications specified in the addendum to your application.

In addition, the Committee explicitly states that its vote consists of a recommendation that does not address the examination of data protection law or the purpose of relieving applicant scientists of the need to comply with applicable law. Furthermore, the Committee recommends that consultation be held with the local data Protection officer at the University in order to determine whether data collection and data storage, as well as participant information and consent, are in line with the EU General Data Protection Regulation that has come into force.

The Ethics Committee (EC) assumes no liability for damage resulting from a scientific study on which the EC was requested to comment. This exemption from liability also applies in the event that the applicant complies with the recommendations of the EC in carrying out the study, unless the EC has given incorrect or unlawful recommendations intentionally or as a result of gross negligence.

It is not necessary to resubmit the application and documents.

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