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Dear Mitali,

First, please accept our gratitude for the collaboration and support you have been providing since 2016 to increase the knowledge and skills of Georgian doctors.

During this period, Georgia has taken important steps to improve the Continuous Medical Education (CME) system:

- In 2018, the stepwise introduction of the mandatory system of CME was initiated;
- In 2018, a new instrument for accreditation of CME was developed and approved. The instrument recognizes all forms of continuing medical education accredited in the EU and other developed countries, including internet programs based on electronic platforms (online courses). It also ensures that the number of credit points to be awarded under certain forms of CME are in line with the credits granted relevant authoritative organizations of the EU. Upon entry into force of this document, relevant activities/ providers accredited by the European Union and other developed countries, as well as by European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) are recognized in Georgia without the need of additional accreditation by the Professional Development Council ;
- A strategy for the development of medical education has been prepared, which provides for further improvement of the continuous medical education system.

In light of everything mentioned above, we consider continuing collaboration with the British Medical Journal very important. We are writing to accept the alternative offer shared by Morgan Kinderberg on June 7<sup>th</sup>. At the same time, we express our readiness to discuss details of future collaboration during a business meeting in September 2019.

Thank you again for your help.

Hoping for continued fruitful collaboration.

Sincerely,

First Deputy Minister

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