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Dear Dr Aida Turganbekova

Thank you for the communication regarding your new HLA sequence (submission number HWS10018423). The WHO Nomenclature Committee for factors of the HLA System has officially named your sequence:

DQB1*03:82

This information will be included in the next full Nomenclature report and will also be listed in a monthly update on new sequences assigned which will be published in *Tissue Antigens*, *Human Immunology* and the *International Journal of Immunogenetics*.

In the publication where this sequence first appears, it is suggested a sentence on the nomenclature should be added:

*The name DQB1*03:82 has been officially assigned by the WHO Nomenclature Committee in June 2013. This follows the agreed policy that, subject to the conditions stated in the most recent Nomenclature Report (Marsh et al. 2010), names will be assigned to new sequences as they are identified. Lists of such new names will be published in the following WHO Nomenclature Report.*

Reference

Marsh SGE, Albert ED, Bodmer WF, Bontrop RE, Dupont B, Erlich HA, Fernández-Viña M, Geraghty DE, Holdsworth R, Hurley CK, Lau M, Lee KW, Mach B, Maiers M, Mayr WR, Müller CR, Parham P, Petersdorf EW, Sasazuki T, Strominger JL, Svejgaard A, Terasaki PI, Tiercy JM, Trowsdale J : Nomenclature for Factors of the HLA System, 2010. *Tissue Antigens* (2010) **75** 291-455

I would appreciate a copy of any paper describing your allele sequence, once it has been published.

Best wishes,



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