Standard Material Transfer Agreement

This Standard Material Transfer Agreement (this “Agreement”) is by and among you ("Recipient Institution" or "You"), and the Arizona Board of Regents, an instrumentality of the state of Arizona, acting for and on behalf of Arizona State University ("ASU"). You are being provided with Materials that were developed by researchers ("Depositor Scientists") working at one or more originating institutions (each, a “Depositor Institution”). The Depositor Institutions are the beneficiaries of, and may independently enforce, this Agreement. The Materials, together with any replicas and unmodified derivatives thereof, shall be referred to as the “Materials.”

Recipient Institution hereby agrees as follows:

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2. The Materials may be used solely for teaching or internal, non-commercial biomedical or non-commercial biological research purposes.

3. THE MATERIALS MAY NOT BE USED IN HUMAN SUBJECTS.

4. The Materials will not be further distributed to others without the Depositor Institution’s prior written consent and in any event shall not be distributed in violation of any of the U.S. export laws including the Export Administration Regulations (“EAR”), U.S. Department of Commerce, 15 CFR Parts 730-774 ; International Traffic in Arms Regulations (“ITAR”), U.S. Department of State, 22 CFR Parts 120-130; and Office of Foreign Assets Control (“OFAC”) Regulations, U.S. Department of the Treasury, 31 CFR Parts 500-599.

5. You shall refer any request for the Materials to ASU or the applicable Depositor Institution. To the extent supplies are available, ASU or the Depositor Institutions agree to make the Materials available, under a separate material transfer agreement to other scientists solely for teaching or internal, non-commercial biomedical research purposes.

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8.1 If Recipient Institution is a U.S. state institution, federal M&O contractor or federal agency, or is operated by a state agency, then no indemnification for any loss, claim, damage or liability is intended or provided under this agreement; each party shall be liable for any loss, claim, damage or liability that it incurs as a result of its activities under this agreement only to the extent provided under the Federal Tort Claims Act (28 U.S.C. Chapter 171).

9. You undertake to use the Materials in compliance with all applicable laws. Recipient Institution will have safety and security procedures and policies in place to ensure compliance with all obligations hereunder.

10. Additional requirements with respect to certain Materials are set forth in the Addendum attached to this Agreement. Such requirements are incorporated into and made a part of this Agreement.

RECIPIENT INFORMATION and AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

Recipient Scientist: ___________________________________________________________
Recipient Institution: __________________________________________________________
Address: ____________________________________________________________________
Name of Authorized Official: ____________________________________________________
Title of Authorized Official: _____________________________________________________

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Signature of Authorized Official   Date

Certification of Recipient Scientist: I have read and understood the conditions outlined in this Agreement and I agree to abide by them in the receipt and use of the Materials.

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Recipient Scientist                 Date

Please have the Institution’s authorized representative sign this Agreement and return one fully executed copy to:

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