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UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

March 8, 2004

Ei Terasawa, Ph.D.  
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Madison, WI 53715

Dear Dr. Terasawa:

At the March 5<sup>th</sup> meeting of the All Campus Animal Care and Use Committee (AC ACUC), the committee voted unanimously (8-0) to permanently revoke your privilege to use animals in research or teaching efforts at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

This action was taken at the recommendation of the Graduate School ACUC. A number of factors, including a pattern of protocol violations, lack of full cooperation with ACUC requirements or provisions (including oversight conditions the ACUC imposed to reactivate a recently suspended protocol) and a failure on your part to recognize the importance of rules and regulations that govern the use of animals in research and teaching, contributed to the GS ACUC's recommendation. Collectively, this history has undermined both ACUC's confidence in your ability to perform your responsibilities as a principal investigator authorized to use animals in research.

If you wish, you may appeal the AC ACUC's decision to revoke your animal use privileges by submitting a written request to me seeking a hearing before the committee at its next regularly scheduled meeting (April 2, 2004). The revocation will not be effective until after the outcome of the appeal hearing with the AC ACUC is determined or until after the receipt of a written waiver of your right to such an appeal. If the AC ACUC does not hear from you one way or the other prior to its next meeting, the effective date of the revocation will be April 2, 2004.

Although your privileges have not yet been revoked pending possible appeal, please note that effective March 5, 2004 your protocols (G00146, G00344, G00424) have been suspended. As a consequence, all research involving animals included on these protocols must be terminated immediately. Animals that were assigned to these protocols have been transferred to protocol G00101. At the March 5<sup>th</sup> meeting the AC ACUC amended protocol G00101 to provide ongoing maintenance care of the animals under the auspices of Dr. Iris Bolton, attending veterinarian at the Wisconsin National Primate Research Center.

We will notify the USDA, OLAW and the federal agencies that fund the research covered by the suspended protocols, as required by federal regulations.

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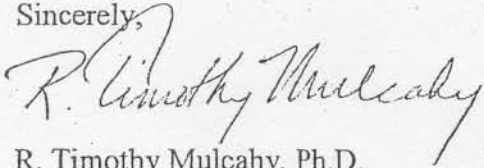
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If you have any questions about the AC ACUC's decision or its implications please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. Timothy Mulcahy". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

R. Timothy Mulcahy, Ph.D.  
Associate Vice Chancellor for Research Policy  
Chair, All Campus Animal Care and Use Committee

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