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Subject: Re: Meeting with Dr Terasawa

Holly:

Could you please forward this message to the member with the new protocol? Thank you.

Ei

Dear Graduate School ACUC members:

First of all I thank you for your taking time to have a special meeting to discuss our protocol.

This new protocol is essentially very similar to G00146, except that the monkey restraint period will be shortened from 2 and a half days to 12 hours. As you read in our previous protocol, the push-pull perfusion method is best approach for neurochemical studies in the brain, but it requires an extended waiting period. Because of this extended restraint, various concerns have been raised over several years. So, I have decided that I will adapt a microdialysis method in the protocol, as it does not need a waiting period. This means that all surgical methods are the same, but this modification has removed the descriptions related to extended restraint of animals.

I believe that the modification to the approach will eliminate numerous concerns raised by you, USDA, AAALAC, and others. I hope that you understand my decision and that you will approve my protocol promptly.

I am looking forward to discussing the matter with you Wednesday morning.

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