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Two protocols are approved for prolonged restraint, involving the use of farrowing crates for Sows. Animal use on these protocols is noted below. Each protocol provides scientific justification necessitating the use of the farrowing crate.

- 1. Study 3708- This study is approved for the use of the farrowing crate. Two swine were exposed to the crate on this protocol during the reporting period.
- 2. Study 3654- This study is approved for the use of the farrowing crate. There were no swine exposed to the crate on this protocol during the reporting period.