Summary of Exceptions to the Regulations and Standards

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- 1. IACUC-approved exception to requirement to sanitize the primary enclosure at least once every 2 weeks for non-human primates (Cynomolgus macaques; 0 animals impacted this reporting year), administered the radioisotope [124]I (2003N000128). [124]I requires 42 days to decay to safe levels. Currently, animals are socially housed. If three animals from the same cage are administered the agent one week apart, the cage may remain radioactive for up to 56 days. The animals' cages will be checked daily and spot cleaned in place as needed by husbandry staff instead of complete cage change.
- 2. IACUC-approved exception to requirement to sanitize the primary enclosure at least once every 2 weeks for non-human primates (Rhesus macaques; 0 animals impacted this reporting year), administered the radioisotope [89]Zr (2013N000051). [89]Zr requires 31 days to decay to safe levels; cages will not be changed for up to 31 days. The animals' cages will be checked daily and spot cleaned in place as needed by husbandry staff instead of complete cage change.