

United States Department of Agriculture

RE: REQUEST FOR REGISTRATION CANCELLATION Certificate Number: 55-R-0107 Cancellation Date: January 1, 3000

> July 22, 2022 Customer ID Number: 808

CAROLINAS MEDICAL CENTER DIR OF COMPARATIVE MEDICINE, PO BOX 32861 CHARLOTTE, NC 28232

Dear Sir/Madam:

As you requested, we are terminating your Registration under the Animal Welfare Act (AWA) effective the date shown above.

Should you decide to resume operations that require AWA registration, you will need to submit a new application. Please note that operating without a valid registration is a violation of the AWA and subject to legal action.

If you are a research facility, we wish to emphasize that all research facilities -- both active and inactive -- must file an annual report (APHIS Form 7023) with the Animal Care regional office documenting their activities and animal usage for the Federal fiscal year (October 1 through September 30) by December 1 of that year. Research facilities whose registrations were terminated during the fiscal year must also fulfill this requirement. Failure to do so constitutes a violation of the AWA and its regulations.

Accordingly, please complete the enclosed APHIS Form 7023 and return to it to the above address. Detailed instructions for completing the form are enclosed. All research facilities should complete items 4 through 13. Also required is the date, signature, and title of the Chief Executive Officer or other legally responsible official who attests to the accuracy of the report and to the assurance statements.

We appreciate your efforts in complying with the Animal Welfare Act. Contact this office at 970-494-7478 if you have any questions regarding this letter or the Animal Welfare Act.

Sincerely,

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cc: CARLA THOMAS

Enclosures

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