

Texas A&M University
Request for Waiver of Intellectual Property Rights

Proposal Number: _____ **Sponsor:** _____

Proposal Title: _____

Principal Investigator: _____ **Department:** _____

Project Dollar Amount: _____

Under TAMUS Policy 17.01 Section 2.4.3, the acceptance of a contract, grant or agreement which does not require ownership of intellectual property by the System may be approved "if the benefit from the level of funding for proposed research and/or other consideration from the sponsor, licensee, or other party outweighs the potential value of System ownership."

Description of Intellectual Property Rights Required by Sponsor:

Justification and Explanation for Waiver:

Nature of Agreement Including Description of Anticipated Research Results:

Mark the following statements that are applicable to this request and if not applicable, explain in the justification:

- ☐ The benefit from the level of funding for proposed research from the sponsor outweighs the potential value of System ownership of any intellectual property that might be developed under this agreement.
- ☐ There is no federal funding tied to any IP that may be developed or shared with the sponsor.
- ☐ No background IP will be incorporated in any work performed under this agreement.

APPROVED: (Printed Name/Signature)

Principal Investigator

Date

Department Head

Date

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Date

Send this request to Lesa Feldhousen (2403 TAMU or lfeldhousen@tamu.edu) for approval of the Vice President for Research.

Glen A. Laine
Vice President for Research

Date