## APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF THE USE OF VERTEBRATE ANIMALS IN RESEARCH

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS DARTMOUTH - Animal Care and Use Committee

All items must be completed. Incomplete applications will be returned. If specific items

 are not pertinent to the proposal, indicate by N/A (Not Applicable) **Rev. 2/21/06**

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| **Funding:** **(State Source)** |  **Protocol Number:** |
| **NIH Grant No:**  |  **Previous Protocol Number:** |
| **UMD:**  |  **Date Submitted:**  |
| **Other:**  |  **Date Approved:**  |

**Project Title**:

**Principal Investigator**:

**Project Period**: **Department**:

**Telephone**: **Home Telephone**:

**Purpose of Study: (Be specific)**:

**Animal Species: Number : Source:**

* Total animals needed for actual experimental procedures:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Total Number of animals to be housed **at any one time**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Will animals be bred for this protocol: Yes [ ]  No [ ]

If “Yes”:

# Total animals to be maintained in order to provide experimental animals:

 Timetable for when the animals will be needed:

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 1 = negligible \_\_\_\_

Distress/Discomfort/Pain Level is: 2 = avoided by drugs \_\_\_\_

 3 = short term discomfort/pain \_\_\_\_

 4 = long term discomfort/pain \_\_\_\_

 5 = extreme discomfort/pain \_\_\_\_

 **Will this study involve: (check YES or NO)**

 **Procedures/methods Biohazard Materials (\*requires**

 **Yes No attached approval from Institutional**

 Immunological methods: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ **Biosafety committee**)

 Surgical procedures: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

 \***Yes No**

 Microbial agents: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_