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**APPENDIX E – Breeding Animals**

***Fill out a separate Appendix E for each species.***

Species:

If you will be breeding animals at WVU, describe your breeding plan.

**Please remember that the numbers need to be consistent between section 5, section 8B and this appendix.**

1. What type of breeding strategy/strategies will you be using (check all that apply)?

[ ] One male x One female

[ ] Harem breeding

[ ] Artificial insemination

[ ] Other

If other, please describe:

**Regardless of the breeding strategy being used, no more than one rodent litter can be in a cage at one time.** If you need exception from this policy, please justify:

1. How many breeding animals will be used?

***Note that breeder animal numbers should be listed under category B in section 5\*.***

1. How many litters (or offspring, please specify) will be produced?

1. How many animals from these litters/offspring will be used for experimentation?

***Note that experimental animal numbers should be listed under category C, D, or E in section 5.***

1. How many animals from these litters/offspring will not be used (e.g., wrong genotype, etc.)?

***Note that wastage animal numbers should be listed under category C in section 5.***

\*If breeder animals are eventually used as experimental animals, they need to be included in the higher pain category rather than B.