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IACUC Protocol #:  (office use only)

**APPENDIX O – Single Housing**

***THIS APPENDIX IS NEEDED ONLY IF ANIMALS WILL BE SINGLY HOUSED AT ANYTIME***

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

Species:

**Social animals should be housed in stable pairs or groups of compatible individuals unless they must be housed alone for experimental reasons, because of social incompatibility, or veterinary-related concerns.**

1. Will animals be singly housed to accomplish the goals of this study?

[ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Maybe

1. If “yes” or “maybe” was checked for item 1, please provide a scientific justification for single housing.

1. Single housing should be limited to the minimum period necessary to accomplish the study goals. How long will the animals be singly housed?

1. Will singly-housed animals be returned to social housing at the end of the study?

[ ] Yes [ ] No

1. If “no” was checked for item 4, please indicate why animals cannot be returned to social housing.