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| **AnimCare** Ethics Committee on Animal Care, Health and Safety in Research *(AREC-130913-015)* **Project Head Permission Form for Sub-Studies under Large Projects**  ***AnimCare 05-03a, Version 4.10 (Nov 2016)*** |
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| General Project Identification |

**Applicant to complete this table BEFORE sending it off for signing.**

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| **Project Head** (Title, Initials & Surname) | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Project Title** (see Application Form) | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Envisaged Application Date** | Click or tap to enter a date. |
| **NWU Ethics Number** (see Application Form) | NWU- ?????-??-s?***(large project)*** |

This form is to be completed by the Project Head (e.g. principle investigator / study leader) of large studies, granting permission for a particular sub-study to be carried out under the large project.

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| Permission by the Project Head |

I, the project head of the large project, hereby declare that I approve of the sub-study described in this application, as integral part of the large project. The objectives, methodology and animals in the sub-study are aligned with what was defined in the large project and nothing in that regard has been added / changed. Furthermore, all ethical implications of the project design, statistical justifiability and matters of specific ethical consideration are unchanged. Lastly the involvement of other ethics committees is unchanged and the risk insurance of the North-West University is still sufficient.

**Specifications of exactly which objectives / methods / data of the large project the sub-study may investigate / utilise / perform (or NOT), thereby to protect confidentiality and intellectual property rights:**

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# Permission by the Project Head

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| Declaration by the Project Head |

As project manager I take overall responsibility for the ethics compliance of the project as a whole, which will now include the sub-study described in this application. I also declare the management and other project details large project remains as specified in the latest approved application and amendments (if applicable) of the large project.

I also reconfirm my declarations for the large project

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