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**St Vincent’s Hospital (Melbourne)**

 **Animal Ethics Committee (AEC)**

**Annual Progress Report**

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| 1. **Protocol Details**
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| **AEC Protocol No** |       |
| **AEC Protocol Title** |       |
| **Principal Investigator** |       |
| **Approval Date** |       |
| **Expiry Date** |       |
| **Reporting Period** |       |

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| 1. **Current Status of Protocol** (Select one option only)
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| **[ ]**  | **Continuing** |
| **[ ]**  | **Completed IF COMPLETED SUBMIT FINAL PROGRESS REPORT FORM ONLY** |

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| 1. **Describe your progress to date**
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| 1. **Animal Use** (Complete table below)
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| **Species** | **Number approved** | **Number reported in 2017 BAW return** | **Total used to date** |
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| 1. **Have any ethical or animal welfare issues arisen in the past 12 months which have affected the ethical acceptability of the project?**
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| **Yes\* [ ]  No [ ]**  |
| \*If yes; Please describe: |

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| 1. **Adverse Incidents**
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| **Have there been any adverse incidents in the last 12 months?** |  **Yes** **[ ]  No** **[ ]**  |
| **If Yes; Have these adverse incidents been reported to AEC?** |  **Yes [ ]  No [ ]**  |

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| 1. **Research Team**
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| **Research Team List (currently on file)**If any team members are no longer involved in this project please strikethrough the appropriate name  |
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| 1. **Have there been any changes to the protocol in line with the 3R’s?**
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| **Yes\* [ ]  No [ ]**  |
| \*If yes; Please describe: |

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| 1. **Have any technological advances assisted you in reducing your animal numbers or refining your techniques?**
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| **Yes\* [ ]  No [ ]**  |
| \*If yes; Please describe: |

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| 1. **Principal Investigator Declaration**
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| I declare that the experimental procedures in this project have been performed in accordance with the principles of the *Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986,* the *NHMRC Australian code for the care and use of animals for scientific purposes 8th Edition 2013* and with any conditions stipulated by the Animal Ethics Committee of St Vincent’s Hospital (Melbourne). |
| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |