Tasmanian Government

ANIMAL RESEARCH

INSPECTORATE ANIMAL USE

REPORT - PART 1

Part 1: Animal Use activities report for (Institution name): _____

Please complete the following for activities of the institution during the last calendar year as it relates to **research conducted in Tasmania**.

1. Did the Institution conduct animal research in Tasmania during the past calendar year?
   Yes ☐ (Complete the Excel Spreadsheet (Part 2)) No ☐

2. Have there been any systemic changes in the administration of animal research projects (eg the creation of additional Animal Ethics Committees for specific areas or new animal house facilities which may impact on future animal use or welfare)?
   Yes ☐ (note changes below) No ☐

3. Have there been any specific issues or strategies that impacted on research conducted in Tasmania (eg project monitoring, access to Animal Ethics Committees)?
   Yes ☐ (note changes below) No ☐

4. Have there been any changes in research area from those nominated in the last licence application in terms of animal type, purpose and/or procedure, and the reasons for the change/s:

Purposes and procedures: (Please tick any that apply)

- ☐ Human biology research
- ☐ Animal biology research
- ☐ Human health research
- ☐ Animal health research
- ☐ Animal management
- ☐ Production research
- ☐ Other - please specify: _____
- ☐ Environment/Ecology research
- ☐ Commercial products development research
- ☐ Wildlife (native and introduced) research
- ☐ Achieve teaching/educational objectives
- ☐ Production of Biological Products
- ☐ Animal welfare research

Using the following procedures: (please tick appropriate boxes)

- ☐ Observation involving minor interference
- ☐ Animal unconscious without recovery
- ☐ Minor conscious intervention (eg blood sampling, feeding trials, banding)
- ☐ Minor surgery with recovery (eg biopsies, cannulations)
- ☐ Major surgery with recovery (eg abdominal surgery etc)
- ☐ Minor physiological challenge (eg residue testing, polyclonal antibody production, minor infections)
- ☐ Major physiological challenge (eg significant impact on animal such as toxicity testing)
- ☐ Death as an endpoint (death must be a deliberate measure eg LD50 testing)

5. Was an external review of the operation of the institution and its AEC conducted as per Appendix 1 of the Australian code for the care and use of animals in research and teaching, 8th Edition, 2013?
(Not applicable to NRE AEC users)
Yes ☐ Date Finalised: No ☐

6. Any other comments

7. **For interstate institutions,** please include a copy of the institution's resident jurisdictional licence or equivalent for the reporting period if licensed in Tasmania for more than 12 months (for instance an institution resident in Victoria should submit a copy of the Victorian licence equivalent. DO NOT send a copy of the Tasmanian licence):

Signature of Institutional representative:

Date:

Contact details update:

Institutional head

Title:	Name:	
Address:		
Telephone:		Fax:
Email:		

Institutional contact (if different from above):

Title:	Name:	
Address:		
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Email:		

Thank you for completing this report, and **Part 2** (if necessary).

Please forward both report documents by email to:

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