

NOTIFICATION TO INVESTIGATOR OF RHIT PROTOCOL REVIEW

To: **Jameel Ahmed**
(Principal Investigator)

RHIT Protocol No. 2002-JA-01 has been reviewed by the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), and the following action was taken:

Approved. The IACUC renewal review date for this protocol is **November 13, 2003**. This activity is approved through **November 13, 2004**. Thirty days before this expiration date, the Principal Investigator will receive an "RHIT Protocol Status" form to indicate his/her continuing plans for the animal activity. The modifications listed below were approved in conjunction with this renewal review.

PLEASE NOTE: Boxes checked below indicate modifications are required. The procedures described in the protocol may **NOT** commence until the Principal Investigator has received written notification of approval by the IACUC.

Minor Modifications Required. The following modifications are required and must be made before resubmitting to the *IACUC Chair* for review. Questions regarding the required changes should be addressed to the IACUC Chair.

Significant Modifications Required. The following modifications are required and must be made before resubmitting to the *entire IACUC* for review. Questions regarding the required changes should be addressed to the IACUC Chair.

MODIFICATION(s) REQUIRED:

The addition of "**mixture of ketamine and xylazine (100 mg/kg of a 50 % - 50 % mixture)**" [from page 8] to be added to page 14, in conjunction with the Anesthetic description.

The deletion of "**advanced graduate**", page 14 under the Who will perform the surgical procedures.

Review Deferred. Comments:

Signed: _____
IACUC Chair

Date: November 14, 2003