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Rick,

Thank you for your email and your description of activities. I also appreciate your consideration of the proposal. I look forward to the updated draft of the contract. I'm sure this will be further discussed at the upcoming meeting in Lincoln.

Thanks, Jason

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Jason,

Thanks you very much for the information and proposal for an addendum/Exhibit E.

I was just in the process of making some slight revisions to the contract proposal budgets during the past 2 weeks related to the work load and activities anyway. We obviously need to reach agreement to final document before the Sponsors meeting on 27 November, in order to have a contract signed before 1 January 2013. Otherwise I would be considered "unfunded" by UNL...and could not make payroll for myself, John et al., in January.

We are pleased that the 6 sponsors find the database useful and are interested in continuing to sponsor as long as we reach mutually agreeable terms. That is our plan.

Early next week I will send documents reviewing our activities and in general the expenses in 2012. Also reviewing the need to have an additional small budget increase in moving forward. I was just in Chicago this week talking to Dr. Bana Jabri of the University of Chicago to find out if it would be beneficial to add her as an expert on Celiac Disease database review (I think it would), which will add costs. In addition, there are a number of costs that are associated with the database, and the safety assessment of GM crops, which the sponsors have not really paid for, especially in

time. I will present that in the communication next week.

I believe I have failed to adequately communicate with the sponsors on many of the activities that we do to enhance/stabilize the safety assessment. Here is a brief description.

An example of that would be the "unfunded" time and effort I put into the GM PMM meeting in Vienna last Spring, the ILSI-EU meeting in Prague, the Washington, DC ILSI-IFBiC meeting this fall.....for which I still am supposed to have a manuscript on endogenous allergenicity assessment by 15 November. That is in addition to meetings over the past 2 years in China, India, Taiwan and in December the Philippines and India. Since I am a soft-money professor, the 50% of my salary paid by the database is not adequate to cover costs, John has been at 75% even though he spends nearly 100% on the database, and the grad students, including Plaimein, who has been working on the celiac database for ~ 1.5 years has only partly been partly paid by the contracted funds. Of course, Steve Taylor has also donated his time, which has been significant. We also have a paper in press with Allergy, on endogenous allergenicity assessment, which I think is a significant contribution to the scientific discussion on this critical issue.

I addition to the detailed budget communication you will receive next week, with more detail about our efforts/contributions, we will schedule some time during the Sponsors meeting to have more discussion about work and efforts. Plaimein is working on the draft celiac manuscript, but we are re-running a number of tests to strengthen the criteria as that is necessary for publication. John has written a new review system for the CD database that Fatima, Barbara and possibly Bana Jabri and I will be using.

Of course I cannot enroll Dr. Jabri's help without a signed contract and funds to include some compensation for her time and costs for her travel / participation in an expert panel meeting.

In any event, we welcome the dialogue as it is important to have a complete understanding between us and all sponsors. We enjoy working on the system/database, publications and want to improve these efforts as well as contribute to the scientific rigor of the international GM safety assessment process.

Regards,

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Subject: Allergenonline contract renewal

Hello Rick,

Over the past month the sponsors have gotten together to discuss the proposed contract sent earlier this year. During our conversations it is evident that the FARRP database provides a lot of value to the allergy assessment of GM crops. I think that we would all like to see the database continue, however there were some concerns with the increased costs and ensuring that these increased costs are justifiable. In order to have better clarity and clear deliverables to justify the increased costs to each of our companies, we would like to propose the attached draft exhibit be added to the contract. This exhibit is a draft and we welcome any feedback you might have. Please let us know if you have any thoughts or concerns about the attached exhibit.

Regards, Jason

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