

United States Department of Agriculture

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

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Director Vincent Bralts Indiana – Purdue University Office of Agricultural Research Programs 615 W. State St. Room 118 West Lafayette, 47907–2053

Dear Director Bralts:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has RECOMMENDED APPROVAL of the following MRF project NC-1194 – Nanotechnology and Biosensors beginning October 01, 2011 through September 30, 2016.

NIFA concurs with the recommendation of the Executive Director and has APPROVED this project. A copy of the approved MRF project outline will be available to all participating stations and agencies via the National Information Management and Support System.

Sincerely

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