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Director S. Kay Obendorf
New York –Ithaca : Cornell University
245 Roberts Hall
Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station
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Dear Director Obendorf:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has RECOMMENDED APPROVAL of the following MRF project NC-1030 – Family Firms and Policy beginning October 01, 2006 through September 30, 2011. CSREES 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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Hewitt".

for Larry Miller

Associate Administrator, CSREES

For all other project and program concerns, please contact us at 202-720-0747 or email bhewitt@csrees.usda.gov