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To Whom It May Concern:

I am the Primate Freedom Tag-Wearer for 00FP8, a female long-tailed macaque that was held captive at the University of Minnesota for about one recorded year. During her time at the University of Minnesota, 00FP8 was held mostly within quarantine. Her origin was from Sierra Biomedical, a subsidiary of Charles River Laboratories, Inc. which is a multi-national conglomerate that is the largest breeder of animals for experiments and is one the largest importers of non-human primates into the United States. According to the Primate Freedom Tag, 00FP8 was born in 1997, however the actual date and year of her birth is unrecorded, and thus unknown.

According to the documentation, 00FP8 arrived at the University of Minnesota in June 1, 2000. At the time of her arrival she weighed about 4.5 pounds. After her arrival she was placed into quarantine procedures, she was tested for tuberculosis on June 9, 2000 and her left eye was monitored. The monitoring of her left eye lasted three days where the researchers reported that her eyes were neither swollen nor were they red. She was sedated and tested for tuberculosis in the right eye on June 26, 2000 where, afterwards, she had been reported as recovering well. Her right eye was monitored for three days where no redness or swelling of the right eye was reported. She was administered 0.05mls of Telazol and 0.02mls of Ivermectin. These two drugs are used in the typical care routines of most animals. Ivermectin typically acts as an anti-parasitic, which is a common preventative routine and Telazol acts as an anesthetic. It is important to note, however, that this was the only time that 00FP8 received any recorded medications throughout her stay at the University of Minnesota. On June 29, 2000 she was tested negative for tuberculosis. A plan was noted to transfer her to the St. Paul campus where the vivisector's group would finish her quarantine.

After being transferred to the St. Paul campus, 00FP8 was observed on September 22, 2000 where her case was discharged by a veterinarian. On October 24, 2000 she received a tuberculosis test where she tested as negative. Her weight was recorded for the final time on this date where she weighed about 4.6 pounds. There were no other recorded visits to 00FP8 after this date. According to documentation, she was killed in June of 2001, presumably on June 4, 2001 as the terminal study of 00FP8 ended on June 3, 2001. Her case was discharged by a veterinarian again on August 13, 2001.

Due to a lack of available documentation, 00FP8's life will never be fully recorded. Her life prior to the University of Minnesota was also left unrecorded; however while using the records provided we can only assume that she her life ended after five years. 00FP8 was allowed to live only a portion of her life, as a typical age of death for a primate of her sort is in the late 30's. It is rather unfortunate that her life will only be a vivid memory in the minds of those that subjected her to experimentation and confinement, if even that.

Records of her confinement are attached to this document; hopefully they will provide a small documentation of 00FP8's existence. Also attached are the letters of correspondence from the University of Minnesota's Office of General Council: Records & Information Management.

As one may see, it takes dedication and patience to obtain records of this sort. May we never forget our non-human brothers and sisters that are exploited for vivisection, and look to the future for a day when we do not rely upon studies based off of innocent creatures such as these.

For all animals,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JJK' with a horizontal line extending from the end of the 'K'.

Jared J. Karow

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November 15, 2007

Jarod Karow



Dear Mr. Karow:

Here is the basic information on primate #827/00FP8-F:

Macaca fascicularis monkey
Identification number: 00FP8
Gender: Female
Age: unknown, adult
Source: Sierra Biomedical

Protocol number: 9807A00030
PI: Gerald O'Sullivan
Date of Arrival: June 2000
Euthanized in June, 2001

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Although it will take staff approximately 4 hours to gather this information, there will be only approximately 30 pages of data. Therefore, we are required to charge \$.25/copy for a total of \$7.50.

If you would like us to process the request for medical information, please send a check, made out to the University of Minnesota, for \$7.50. We will then gather the information and send it to you.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan McKinney".

Susan McKinney, CRM

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April 4, 2008

Mr. Jared J. Karow



Dear Mr. Karow:

I have enclosed the requested report on primate 827/00FP8-F. The report contains fewer pages than originally anticipated, and so we have also enclosed a check refunding you for \$5.75.

Please contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jamie M. Weisberger".

Jamie Weisberger
Office Assistant for Susan McKinney, CRM

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota

Animal Morbidity Report

Signalment: ID 00FP8 Billing Name O'SULLIVAN, Protocol No. 9807A00030

Investigator _____ Department _____ Contact _____ Phone _____

ID/Tattoo _____ Species _____ Strain _____ Sex _____ Age _____ DOB _____ DOA _____ Incoming Wt. _____ Vendor _____ Final Disposition _____ Date _____

tattoo: E.M.1.1827E, Cynomolgus F Ad 6/1/2000 2kg Sierra Bio Euthanasia/terminal 6/3/2001

Date _____ Experimental History _____

Master Problem List:			No. Animals	Date Active	Resolved	Preventative Medicine	Date
TB test	1	6/9/2000	6/12/2000	Quarantine procedures	6/1/2000		
TB test	1	6/26/2000	6/29/2000	TB Test	6/9/2000		
		8/13/2001		Quarantine procedures	6/26/2000		
				Semi-annual TB/dental/PE	9/29/2000		

Master Treatment List:						Lab Number	Necropsy No.
	Dose	Rt.	Frequ.	Date Started	Completed		
monitor left eye			3 days	6/9/2000	6/12/2000	D00-312	
monitor right eye			3 days	6/26/2000	6/29/2000		

Daily Observations: ID 00FP8 Building _____ Room: _____

Special Requests _____

Date 6/9/2000 Time 7:05:44 AM Initials PB _____ Attitude _____ Responsiveness _____ Posture _____

Appetite _____ Water Consumption _____ Stool _____ Urine _____

Temp. _____ Pulse _____ Resp. _____ Pulse Character _____ Resp. Character _____

MM Color _____ CRT (s) _____ Hydration _____

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal) _____

Current weight _____

- Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Incision No./ Location _____
 Incision Condition _____

Treatments Given:
 0.1mls Telazol
 0.2mls Ivermectin

Progress Notes

sedated and TB tested left eye, recovered well

Plan _____

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota
Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations: ID 00FP8 Building Room: Post-Op
 Part. PO
 General

Special Requests

Date 6/9/2000 Time 11:46:08 AM Initials PB Attitude Responsiveness Posture
Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine
Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character
MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight 2.15kg

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
Treatments Given:

Incision No./
Location
Incision
Condition

Progress Notes

TB test...negative.....
temp. 99.2... HR. 156.....

Plan

Daily Observations: ID 00FP8 Building Room: Post-Op
 Part. PO
 General

Special Requests

Date 6/10/2000 Time 7:07:19 Initials PB Attitude Responsiveness Posture
Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine
Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character
MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
Treatments Given:

Incision No./
Location
Incision
Condition

Progress Notes

no swelling or redness of left eye.....

Plan

Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 6/11/2000 Time 7:07:48 AM Initials PB

Attitude

Responsiveness

Posture

Appetite

Water Consumption

Stool

Urine

Temp. Pulse

Resp. Pulse Character

Resp. Character

MM Color

CRT (s)

Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

no swelling or redness of left eye

Plan

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 6/12/2000 Time 7:08:16 AM Initials PB

Attitude

Responsiveness

Posture

Appetite

Water Consumption

Stool

Urine

Temp. Pulse

Resp. Pulse Character

Resp. Character

MM Color

CRT (s)

Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

no swelling or redness of left eye TB test Neg

Plan

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota
Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 6/26/2000 Time 7:08:56 AM Initials PB

Attitude Responsiveness Posture

Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine

Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character

MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

0.05mls Telazol
0.02mls Ivermectin

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

sedated and T.B. tested right eye, recovered well.....

Plan

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 6/27/2000 Time 7:10:15 AM Initials PB

Attitude Responsiveness Posture

Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine

Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character

MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

no swelling or redness of right eye.....

Plan

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota
Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations: ID 00FP8 Building Room: Post-Op
 Part. PO
 General

Special Requests

Date 6/28/2000 Time 7:10:58 AM Initials PB Attitude Responsiveness Posture
 Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character
 MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
 Treatments Given:

Incision No./
 Location
 Incision
 Condition

Progress Notes
 no swelling or redness of right eye.....

Plan

Daily Observations: ID 00FP8 Building Room: Post-Op
 Part. PO
 General

Special Requests

Date 6/29/2000 Time 7:11:24 AM Initials PB Attitude Responsiveness Posture
 Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character
 MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
 Treatments Given:

Incision No./
 Location
 Incision
 Condition

Progress Notes
 no swelling or redness of right eye. Neg. TB test.....

Plan
 Monkey being transferred to St. Paul campus and group will finish quarantine.....

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota
Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 9/22/2000 Time 7:37:37 AM Initials SW
 Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine

Attitude Responsiveness Posture

Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character

MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

- Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
- Treatments Given:

Incision No./
 Location
 Incision
 Condition

Progress Notes

Case discharged by veterinarian.....

Plan

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 10/24/2000 Time 2:51:57 PM Initials TM
 Appetite Water Consumption Stool Urine

Attitude Responsiveness Posture

Temp. Pulse Resp. Pulse Character Resp. Character

MM Color CRT (s) Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight 2.08kg

- Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic
- Treatments Given:

Incision No./
 Location
 Incision
 Condition

Progress Notes

IB tested negative.....

Plan

Research Animal Resources, University of Minnesota
Animal Morbidity Report

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 6/4/2001 Time 11:50:11 AM Initials JF

Attitude

Responsiveness

Posture

Appetite

Water

Stool

Urine

Temp.

Pulse

Resp.

Pulse Character

Resp. Character

MM Color

CRT (s)

Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

- Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

Plan

TERMINAL STUDY DONE 6/3/01

Daily Observations:

ID 00FP8

Building

Room:

- Post-Op
- Part. PO
- General

Special Requests

Date 8/13/2001 Time 9:49:45 AM Initials PMB

Attitude

Responsiveness

Posture

Appetite

Water

Stool

Urine

Temp.

Pulse

Resp.

Pulse Character

Resp. Character

MM Color

CRT (s)

Hydration

Systems Exam (Check if Abnormal)

Current weight

- Attitude Integument Respiratory Cardiovascular Gastrointestinal Musculoskeletal Neurologic Urogenital Optic/Otic

Treatments Given:

Incision No./

Location

Incision

Condition

Progress Notes

Case discharged by veterinarian

Plan