**Appendix 1 –**

**Animal Use in Teaching & Training**

**Pedagogical Merit Review Form**

Principal Investigator:

Course Instructor:

Course Title and Code:

Animal Species: Number of Students (A):

Number of Animals (B): Number of Students per Animal (A÷B):

Number of Students per Instructor and/or Teaching Assistant/Technicians:

1. Provide a summary and description of the project including sufficient information to allow the reviewer to comment on the teaching merit of the project and the justification of animal use and selected species.

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2. Describe the learning outcomes while specifying the involvement of the animals.

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3. Clarify which components of the learning outcomes can only be achieved by using animals.

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a. Explain whether there are any suitable replacement alternatives to the use of animals. Please see the CCAC Three Rs Microsite for further information - https://3rs.ccac.ca/

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b. Which resources were consulted?

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4. Are there clear benefits to involving animals in this course at this point in time in the academic curriculum? Please elaborate.

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5. Does the timing of the animal use align with the relevant theoretical components of the course? Please elaborate.

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6. Describe how you will assess student learning associated with animal use. How will this information be used to optimize future versions of the course?

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***Please note that full resubmission teaching protocols will have existing student feedback summary information distributed to the relevant reviewers.***

**Signature:**

**Date:**