**SHIPPER DECLARATION**

Material derived from any animal is potentially subject to U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) regulations and must be cleared by Department of Homeland Security, Customs and Border Protect (DHS, CBP) Agricultural Specialists at the port of arrival before entry into the United States is authorized.  However, the USDA does not have regulatory authority over the importation of live laboratory animals or laboratory mammal material that have not been inoculated with or exposed to any livestock or poultry disease agents exotic to the United States.

Material derived from rodents and other small mammals which: (a) have not been inoculated with, or exposed to any exotic livestock or poultry disease agents, and (b) do not originate from facilities where work with exotic disease agents affecting livestock or avian species is conducted, may be imported without USDA, APHIS, Veterinary Services (VS) restrictions.

In order to facilitate correct identification of the shipment and to ensure timely delivery, USDA, APHIS , VS recommends that the following documentation accompany each shipment:

1. A written statement identifying the material and naming the animal species,
2. A written statement confirming that the material was derived only from laboratory mammals that have not been inoculated with or exposed to any livestock or poultry disease agents exotic to the United States,
3. A written statement confirming that the material was derived only form laboratory mammals that did not originate from a facility where work with exotic disease agents affecting livestock or avian species is conducted, and
4. A written statement which identifies the immunogen for antibodies/antiserum, if applicable.

The declaration should be supplied on your organization’s letterhead with the letterhead containing the physical address of the organization. A sample declaration is provided on the next page. Once completed, print and sign the declaration, and place the document on the outside of the shipping containers.

Please contact us by phone (408.737.2875) or email (support@fullmoonbio.com) if you have any questions.

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The material is indented for biomedical laboratory research and analysis purposes only, not for human use.

The exporter of the material covered by this document declares that these products are of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ origin.

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