January 1, 2019

RE: Academic Research Enhancement Award for Undergraduate-Focused Institutions (PAR-18-714 or PAR-19-133)

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review

Division of Receipt and Referral

Please accept this letter attesting to the fact that Ohio University, College of NAME COLLEGE], is an accredited public higher education institution, grants baccalaureate degrees in biomedical sciences, and has more undergraduates than graduate students, as of [DATE OF SUBMISSION].

Additionally, all the non-health professional components of Ohio University together have not received support from the NIH totaling more than $6 million per year (in both direct and F&A/indirect costs) in four (4) of the last seven (7) years, as described in Section III, "Eligible Organization".

As the official with institution-wide responsibility for certifications and assurances to Federal funding agencies, I certify that [PI name] has a primary appointment within the [department] within the [College].

Best regards,

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