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**SCHOOL SCIENTIFIC REVIEW COMMITTEE (SRC) REPORT**

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| **School:** |  | **SBE** |  | **SEPS** |  | **SHLS** |  | **SHSS** |

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| **OR-NSU Assigned Grant Application Code:** |  |

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| **SRC Chair Name:** |  |  |  |
| **Designation:** |  |  |
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| **Dean Name:** |  |  |  |
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| **Signature\* & Date** |

(\* signature provided when SRC Report has been submitted for transmittal to OR-NSU)

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| **Project Title:** |
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| **SRC Final Recommendation as to Scientific Merit:** | | | | | |
| **First Review** | | | **Revision Review** | | |
|  | Approve, without revision |  | | Approve (after revision) |
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|  | Tentatively approve, pending acceptable revision |  | | Disapprove/reject |
|  | **Revision due date:**  *(A maximum of two weeks may be granted)* |  | |  |
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|  | Disapprove/reject |  | |  |

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| **Recommended budget:** | **BDT: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  *(Provide justification of budget change)* |

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| **Ethical clearance needed?** |  | IRB/ERC |  | IACUC |  | Not applicable |
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| **Biosafety review required?** |  | Yes |  | No |  |  |

**Scientific Merit Score**

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| Sl. | Criteria | Maximum Marks | Marks |
| 1 | Originality of the proposed research | 15 |  |
| 2 | Clarity and rationality of the research question, thesis, hypotheses | 15 |  |
| 3 | Literature review (assessment of relevant background materials and prior related studies) | 15 |  |
| 4 | Appropriateness of the methodology (for statistical studies, adequacy of sampling procedure and valid plan for statistical analysis and data safety control and monitoring) | 15 |  |
| 5 | Potential impact of research findings/ Policy implication/ Contribution to existing knowledge | 15 |  |
| 6 | Potential for publication/ dissemination of research results | 10 |  |
| 7 | Appropriateness of the proposed budget | 10 |  |
| 8 | Practicality of the proposed time frame | 5 |  |
| Total | | |  |

**Narrative Comments Justifying SRC Recommendation**

***Provide narrative comments below justifying the SRC recommendation and score on this proposal.***