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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20523

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ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR THE AGENCY DIRECTOR FOR HEALTH

FROM: S&T/Health, Ann Van Dusen

*John H. Anderson for AID*

SUBJECT: PAHO Regional Program for the Conservation, Reproduction, and Biomedical Use of Non-Human Primates in the Americas (931-0453.65)

Problem: Your approval is requested for a three year grant of \$900,000 from Section 104 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended for project 931-0453, Malaria Immunity and Vaccination Research, to the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO).

Background: We have reviewed a proposal from the Veterinary Public Health Program of the Pan American Health Organization for the Conservation, Reproduction, and Biomedical Use of Non-Human Primates in the Americas. This regional program will be an umbrella project, within which PAHO will establish subagreements with selected Member Governments for the development of national primate programs. These subagreements will support conservation activities and the establishment of breeding colonies of primate species in their country of origin, and facilitate their transfer to biomedical research institutions. This grant will finance a staff unit within PAHO to assist in the planning and developing of national primate programs, and to coordinate transfer of primates to the U.S. Subagreements implementing this grant will be subject to A.I.D. approval and a detailed statement of work has been drafted for the use of A.I.D. funds in this regional program.

Discussion: In recognizing the need to take a longer-term and more conservation-minded approach to the use of primates in biomedical research, A.I.D., the National Institutes of Health (NIH), and PAHO have collaborated for a number of years to support the Peruvian Primatological Project (PPP). The current proposal will continue A.I.D. support of this extremely successful project as well as allow for the expansion of PAHO's conservation program to Bolivia and Colombia, using the Peruvian Primatological Project as a model.

In keeping with PAHO's and A.I.D.'s shared goals of coordinating primate conservation programs and biomedical use of primates, availability of these animals will be determined by national authorities, and at no time will the ecologic and conservation status of these animals be threatened. Emphasis on studying primate population dynamics, creating professional and public education programs in conservation, and establishment of primate reserves are key program elements in attaining these goals. In addition, colony-bred or semi-captive bred animals will be transferred before wild-caught animals are. Actual transfer of appropriate numbers and species of animals will require an additional transfer fee determined on a cost recovery basis for this specific activity.

The Malaria Immunity and Vaccine Research project requires the use of New World monkeys for malaria vaccine trials. Support for such a program addresses the concerns of the environmental community and, at the same time, helps assure that non-human primates will remain available for the Agency's program to develop a malaria vaccine. The proposal, statement of work, and supporting documents are attached for further information.

Research Involving Testing of Animals and Human Subjects:

All projects in the MIVR network comply with the following DHHS guidelines: "Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals"--- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Publication No. (NIH) 85-23; and Guide for the Safety of Human Subjects in Research"-U.S. Department of Health and Human Services-Human Research Subjects--45 CFR-PT 46.

Clearances Obtained:

Pursuant to the 19 May 1987 Action Memorandum for the Senior Assistant Administrator for Science and Technology from S&T/H and S&T/EN, this umbrella proposal has been reviewed by S&T/FNB. General Counsel has also reviewed the statement of work for prohibitions on assistance to Latin American countries. As part of the A.I.D. approval process for subagreements established by this umbrella project, the following offices have been notified that S&T/H will submit subagreements for their review and comment:

1. S&T Environmental Coordinator
2. A.I.D. Environmental Coordinator
3. LAC Chief Environmental Officer
4. State/OES/ENR
5. U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, Bureau for Management Authority

Recommendation: That you approve the three year, \$900,000 grant to PAHO by signing the attached project authorization.

Attachment:

Project Authorization

Clearances:

S&T/H:	GPettigrew	<u>[Signature]</u>	Date:	<u>8/25/88</u>
	JAustin	<u>[Signature]</u>	Date:	<u>19 Aug 88</u>
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GC/CP:	STisa	<u>[Signature]</u>	Date:	<u>8/24/88</u>
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drafted by: AFairfield: W5840t: 8/17/88.

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PROJECT DATA SHEET

1. TRANSACTION CODE

A = Add  
 C = Change  
 D = Delete

Amendment Number

DOCUMENT CODE

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2. COUNTRY/ENTITY

Worldwide

3. PROJECT NUMBER

93-0453.65

4. BUREAU/OFFICE

Office of Health

5. PROJECT TITLE (maximum 40 characters)

Malaria Immunity and Vacc. Research-PAHO

6. PROJECT ASSISTANCE COMPLETION DATE (PACD)

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7. ESTIMATED DATE OF OBLIGATION

(Under "B." below, enter 1, 2, 3, or 4)

A. Initial FY 88

B. Quarter 4

C. Final FY 91

8. COSTS (\$000 OR EQUIVALENT \$1 = )

A. FUNDING SOURCE	FIRST FY 88			LIFE OF PROJECT		
	B. FX	C. L/C	D. Total	E. FX	F. L/C	G. Total
AID Appropriated Total	297			900		900
(Grant)	( 297 )	( )	( )	( 900 )	( )	( 900 )
(Loan)	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )
Other U.S.						
1.						
2.						
Host Country						
Other Donor(s)						
<b>TOTALS</b>	297			900		900

9. SCHEDULE OF AID FUNDING (\$000)

A. APPROPRIATION	B. PRIMARY PURPOSE CODE	C. PRIMARY TECH. CODE		D. OBLIGATIONS TO DATE		E. AMOUNT APPROVED THIS ACTION		F. LIFE OF PROJECT	
		1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan	1. Grant	2. Loan
(1) HE	511	540				900		900	
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
<b>TOTALS</b>						900		900	

10. SECONDARY TECHNICAL CODES (maximum 6 codes of 3 positions each)

11. SECONDARY PURPOSE CODES

12. SPECIAL CONCERNS CODES (maximum 7 codes of 4 positions each)

A. Code

B. Amount

13. PROJECT PURPOSE (maximum 480 characters)

To establish an umbrella project with the Pan American Health Organization for the development of national primate programs in PAHO Member Countries; to support conservation activities and breeding colonies of primate species in their country of origin, and facilitate their transfer for biomedical use.

14. SCHEDULED EVALUATIONS

Interim MM YY MM YY Final MM YY  
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15. SOURCE/ORIGIN OF GOODS AND SERVICES

000  941  Local  Other (Specify)

16. AMENDMENTS/NATURE OF CHANGE PROPOSED (This is page 1 of a \_\_\_\_\_ page PP Amendment)

17. APPROVED BY

Signature

*Kenneth J. Bart*

Title KENNETH J. Bart, M.D.  
 Agency Director for Health

Date Signed

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18. DATE DOCUMENT RECEIVED IN AID/W, OR FOR AID/W DOCUMENTS, DATE OF DISTRIBUTION

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PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

Name of Entity: Worldwide

Project Title: Regional Program for the Conservation, Reproduction and Biomedical Use of Non-Human Primates in the Americas

Project Number: 931-0453.65

Grantee: Pan American Health Organization, Veterinary Public Health Program, Washington, DC

1. Pursuant to Section 104 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, I hereby authorize the Regional Program for the Conservation, Reproduction, and Biomedical Use of Non-Human Primates in the Americas" Project, involving not to exceed \$900,000 in grant funds over a three year period from the date of authorization subject to the availability of funds in accordance with the A.I.D. OYB/Allotment process, to help in financing the costs of the project.

2. This umbrella project which will be implemented by a grant to the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO), will establish subagreements with selected Member Governments of PAHO for the support of conservation and reproduction of primate species in their country of origin, and to facilitate transfer of appropriate numbers and species to biomedical research institutions based upon availability.

3. The agreement(s) which may be negotiated and executed by the officer(s) to whom such authority is delegated in accordance with A.I.D. regulations and delegations of authority shall be subject to the following terms and conditions, together with such other terms and conditions as A.I.D. may deem appropriate.

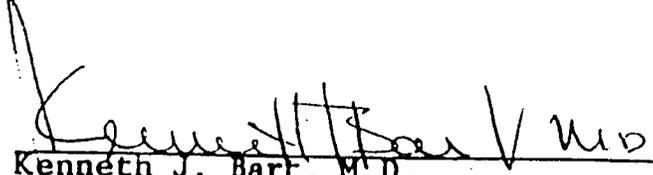
4. Source and Origin of Commodities, Nationality of Services

- a Commodities financed by A.I.D. under the project shall have their source and origin in the cooperating country\* or the United States except as A.I.D. may otherwise agree in writing. Except for ocean shipping, the suppliers of commodities or services shall have the cooperating country or the United States as their place of nationality, except as A.I.D. may otherwise agree in writing.

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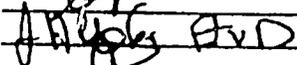
\*Each country where research, training, technical or other assistance takes place under the project shall be deemed to be a cooperating country for the purpose of permitting local cost financing of goods and services required for the activity conducted in such country.

b. Ocean shipping financed by A.I.D. under the project shall, except as A.I.D. may otherwise agree in writing, be financed only on flag vessels of the United States.

  
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 Kenneth J. Bart, M.D.  
 Agency Director for Health

8/29/88  
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 Date

Clearances:

S&T/H: GPettigrew		Date: 8/25/88
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