MEMORANDUM ON ESTABLISHMENT OF JOINT LABORATORY BETWEEN INSTITUTE FOR PROTEIN RESEARCH, OSAKA UNIVERSITY AND FACULTY OF CHEMISTRY, UNIVERSITY OF THE REPUBLIC

BETWEEN the Institute for Protein Research, Osaka University, Japan and the Faculty of Chemistry, University of the Republic, Uruguay, based on the agreement on academic exchange between both universities, hereby agree to establish a collaborative laboratory between both institutions.

Article 1 Scope of Collaboration:

The collaborative study is limited to research on subjects which are performed at both institutions.

Article 2 Setting up Collaborative Laboratory:

To push forward the collaborative study, each institution establishes a laboratory on each side. University of the Republic's is opened inside Faculty of Chemistry, University of the Republic. Osaka's collaborative laboratory is opened inside, Institute for Protein Research, Osaka University. Researchers and students who belong to the collaborative research projects are registered as members of the collaborative laboratory.

Article 3 Financial Considerations:

Prior to dispatching researchers and students to the collaborative laboratory of the other institution, both institutions should achieve agreement on the duration of the stay, the number of researchers and students to be sent, and other details. In addition, burden of travel expenses shall be determined upon mutual agreement between Osaka University and the partner institution.

Article 4 Renewal, Termination, and Amendment:

This memorandum shall become effective from its signing date and shall be in force for a term of three years. Either institution may, by giving six months' written notice to the other institution, terminate this memorandum of understanding. In the absence of such an early termination, the renewal of this agreement shall be discussed by both institutions no less than six months prior to the natural termination of the current memorandum of understanding.

Article 5 This memorandum is to be executed in English and each university shall retain an original copy.

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