World Anti Doping Agency (WADA) Health, Medical, and Research Committee Address:

Research Application

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5. Project title (max 20 words)	Devices for Direct and Immediate Analysis of Testosterone and Related Steroids:
	Analysis and Review
Duration of project (max three years)	Start (date, month, year): Oct. 1, 2002
Two Years	End (date, month, year):
Amount requested from WADA for each year	Year 1: \$75,000 Sept. 30. 2004
,	Year 2: \$75,000
	Year 3:
	SUM (USD): \$150,000
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8. Project summary, suitable for publication (max 1000 words)

We propose to thoroughly assess and evaluate the potential for on site, multi-analyte dipstick analyses of hormones, drugs, and other agents of interest to WADA and its affiliated groups, with emphasis on our own expertise and technologies based on highly sensitive bio- and chemi-luminescence.

We expect to be able to work closely with WADA colleagues, with their advisors and consultants, and with other contractors/grantees.

We will provide a comprehensive progress report at the end of Year 1 and a full comprehensive review and assessment at the end of Year 2. We hope WADA will agree to the publication of a shortened version of the final report.

Year 1: we will evaluate the status and potential of enzyme analytical pathways appropriate for steroid assays; antibodies and methods for chemiluminescent immunoassays for individual steroid hormones and their derivatives; and affinity methods (such as Sex Hormone Binding Globulin – SHBG) for steroid analyses; prepare a progress report.

Year 2: we will consider
alternative pathways, enzymes, and ligands
based on a careful analysis of available genomes;
metabolic and pathway engineering, modeling,
and simulation to predict assay feasibility;
design a preliminary SteroidChip for WADA – related applications;
prepare a comprehensive report and a
publishable version for the greater community.