



United States Department of Agriculture

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Karen Plaut  
Office of Agricultural Research Programs  
615 W. State St. Room 118  
West Lafayette, 47907-2053

Dear Director Plaut:

Proposed addition to Appendix E to MRP Project S-1032 Animal Production Systems: Synthesis of Methods to Determine Triple Bottom Line Sustainability from Findings of Reductionist Research covering research at Indiana – Purdue University has been approved.

Name of Scientist: Applegate, T. (applegt@purdue.edu)  
Station: Indiana – Purdue University  
Department: Animal Sciences  
Objects:2,3  
Resource Commitments: SY(0.10) PY(0) TY(0)  
Program(s):  
FTE: 0.05

To process your station's contribution to this multistate project, please complete your project initiation (which included your assurance statement) in REEport which can be accessed at: <http://portal.nifa.usda.gov>.

APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara A. Hewitt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a clear, legible font.

Accountability and Reporting Leader  
for Meryl Broussard  
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