DATE:  November 15, 2005

MEMORANDUM

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FROM:  David Moore

SUBJECT:  IRB Expedited Approval: "Efficiency Curves for Embedded Data Sets" IRB # 05-616

This memo is regarding the above-mentioned protocol. The proposed research is eligible for expedited review according to the specifications authorized by 45 CFR 46.110 and 21 CFR 56.110. As Chair of the Virginia Tech Institutional Review Board, I have granted approval to the study for a period of 12 months, effective November 11, 2005.

Virginia Tech has an approved Federal Wide Assurance (FWA00000572, exp. 7/20/07) on file with OHRP, and its IRB Registration Number is IRB00000667.

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