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Memorandum

To: Mike Rush, Executive Director
Office of the State Board of Education

From: Stacy Pearson, Vice President, Finance and Administration *JP*

Date: April 21, 2009

Subject: Request Approval – BD InFlux Cyometer System.

Boise State University requests your approval for the purchase of a BD InFlux Cynometer System for fluidics sorting analysis by Dr. Denise Wingett's staff and students in the Boise State University Biology Department. This instrument shall be used to analyze individual cells and particles out of a complex sample mixture for research purposes involving understanding mechanism of the immune system and in the development of novel nanomaterials for use in biological applications. The purchase has been submitted and approved as a sole source purchase by the State of Idaho Division of Purchasing

The estimated total project cost is \$442,955.00. The source of funding for the project is grant funding, obtained by Dr. Wingett. It is anticipated that the system will be delivered by August 2009.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and please let me know if I can provide any further information.

cc: Robert Kustra, President, Boise State University
Scott Christie, Financial Manager, Office of State Board of Education