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Proposal # _____

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Project Title: _____

Area of Research Focus:

- Pathophysiology of *Corynebacterium pseudotuberculosis* and development of an equine challenge model
- Virulence factors and strain differences among isolates of *C. pseudotuberculosis* isolated from internal and external infections and different geographic locations
- Increased incidence and spread to different geographic locations and association with climate change
- Comparison of host immunity between infections resulting in internal infection and recurrent infection in recovered horses
- Seasonality of infection with *Corynebacterium pseudotuberculosis* and studies of insect vectors

Funding Amount: \$25,000 Project Duration: 12 months

Principle Investigator/Project Leader: _____

Title: _____ Organization: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

IF FUNDED:

The contract will be between Boehringer Ingelheim Vetmedica, Inc. and

CERTIFICATION:

To be signed and dated by Principle Investigator, Department Head and the Contracts/Grants Official (if applicable*)

Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Department Head: _____ Date: _____

Contracts/Grants: _____ Date: _____

*Please note limitations (i.e. budget for project)