ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

Based upon Act No. 283/1992 Coll., on the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, as subsequently amended, and upon Act No. 341/2005 Coll., on public research institutions, as subsequently amended, and further, in accordance with the Statutes of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic issued on 24 May 2006, the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic (hereinafter ASCR) hereby issues

the Full Text of the Foundation Deed of the Institute of Biotechnology of the ASCR, v. v. i.,

dated 19 December 2007, as subsequently amended by Addendum No. 1 dated 13 May 2009:

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The Institute of Biotechnology of the ASCR, v. v. i., (hereinafter IBT) is established as a public research institution (abbreviated as v. v. i.). The establishment was approved by a resolution of the thirty-first session of the Academy Assembly of the ASCR held on 18 December 2007. The IBT comes into being by entering in the Register of Public Research Institutions on the date of 1 January 2008.

II

- (1) The IBT is a legal entity. It is established for an indefinite period and is located in Prague 4, Vídeňská 1083, Postal Code 142 20.
- (2) The founder of the IBT is the ASCR, an organisational body of the state, identification number 60165171, headquartered in Prague 1, Národní 1009/3, Postal Code 117 20.

III

- (1) The purpose for which the IBT has been established is to carry out scientific research in the fields of molecular biology technologies, to contribute to the utilisation of its research results, and to provide a research infrastructure.
- (2) The principal activity of the IBT is scientific research in the fields of preparation of transgenic cell lines, animals and plants, of molecular basis of cancer, inflammatory and infectious diseases, of biochemistry and biology of cell reproduction, of chemical genetics, of biochemistry of protein interactions, of genetic, cell and protein engineering, and in the field of cellular immunology, respectively. In this connection, research is aimed at analyzing interactions between proteins, diagnostic principles based on polymer chain reaction, interactions of cytokinins with receptors, and the T lymphocyte reactions allowing vaccination. Subject to research are also processes leading to preparation of recombinant diagnostic and therapeutic proteins. The IBT contributes to raising the level of knowledge and education and to utilising the results of scientific research in practice. It acquires, processes and disseminates scientific information and issues scientific publications (monographs, journals, proceedings, etc.). It provides scientific assessments, professional opinions and recommendations,



consulting and advisory services. In cooperation with universities, the IBT carries out doctoral study programmes and provides training for young scientists. Within the scope of its activity, the IBT promotes international cooperation, including the organisation of joint research projects with foreign partners, participation in exchange programmes for scientists and the exchange of scientific information, as well as the preparation of joint publications. The IBT organises scientific meetings, conferences and seminars at the national and international levels and provides the infrastructure for research. It pursues its aims both independently and in cooperation with universities and other research and professional institutions.

(3) The other activity of the IBT includes advisory services, testing, measurements, analyses and controls in the fields of scientific expertise of the institute. Conditions of the other activity are determined by the respective entrepreneurial authorisations and the Act on Public Research Institutions. The total extent of the other activity may not exceed 20 percent of the working capacity of the IBT.

IV

- (1) The director, the Board and the Supervisory Board are the bodies of the IBT. The director is the statutory body of the IBT and is entitled to act on behalf of the IBT.
- (2) Basic organisational units of the IBT are scientific departments responsible for research and development, and service departments responsible for provision of the infrastructure.
- (3) The detailed organisational structure of the IBT is regulated by rules of organisation issued by the director after being approved by the Board.

V

The research plan AV0Z50520701 including appropriate institutional means was transferred from the Institute of Molecular Genetics of the ASCR, v. v. i., identification number 68378050, located in Prague 4, Vídeňská 1083, Postal Code 142 20, to the IBT.

VI

- (1) The IBT has been assigned the identification number 86652036.
- (2) The foundation deed in its present form took effect on 13 May 2009.

Prague, 13 October 2009

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