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August 20, 2021

Kevin Burns, MD  
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RE: ASHI Accreditation No. **02-6-CA-10-1**  
CLIA No. **05D1086025**  
UNOS No. **05CAST**

Dear Dr. Burns:

I have received and reviewed all of the materials sent to me by Heather Eilrich, CHS, your ASHI Commissioner. I am in agreement with the recommendations of your Commissioner that your laboratory has successfully demonstrated compliance with all mandatory ASHI Standards.

On the basis of the recommendations from your Commissioner, the Histocompatibility Department of Vitalant Sacramento, 02-6-CA-10-1, under the direction of Kevin Burns, MD is granted accreditation for the following:

**Areas of Accreditation:**

HSC/BM Transplantation: Related Donor  
HSC/BM Transplantation: Unrelated Donor  
Solid Organ Transplantation: Deceased Donor  
Transfusion Support  
Histocompatibility Testing For Other Clinical Purposes

**Categories & Systems:**

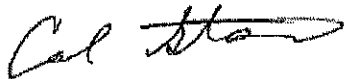
HLA Typing Class I: Molecular
HLA Typing Class II: Molecular
HLA Antibody Identification: Solid phase
Crossmatching: Flow cytometry

Accreditation for the above areas of accreditation, categories, and systems will be valid until 8/31/2023, pending successful completion of an interim, self-inspection cycle next year. Your laboratory is accredited by ASHI for the following CMS subspecialties: Histocompatibility Testing.

You and your laboratory staff are to be commended for maintaining ASHI's high standards for laboratory performance and patient service.

Should you have any questions about the inspection or accreditation process, please contact the appropriate commissioner or the ASHI Accreditation Office at (651) 202-3637.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cal Stone". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Cal Stone, BS, CHS  
Co-Chair, ASHI Accreditation Review Board

cc: Heather Eilrich, CHS, Commissioner  
David Kiger, CHS, Program Director  
John Schmitz, PhD, D(ABHI), Co-Chair  
Sam Ho, PhD, D(ABHI), Co-Chair  
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