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**ANNEX A**  
(Non toxic strains)

Town, Date, Year

I, the undersigned, \_\_\_\_\_, \* Responsible scientist or Supervisor of the student  
\* in the laboratory \_\_\_\_\_ \*

(\* *please specify*) confirm that the cyanobacterial strain(s) listed below and requested from the Pasteur Culture Collection (PCC) in Paris (France), will only be used for research in my own laboratory and will not be provided to a third party.

It is understood that the culture collection acronym (PCC) will be cited in any publication resulting from research on this (these) strain(s).

The strain(s) is (are) not known to cause infectious, contagious or communicable diseases of livestock or poultry. Furthermore, it (they) is (are) not (a) plant-pathogen(s) or known to produce hepatotoxins or neurotoxins harmful to animals and potentially dangerous for humans. Furthermore, the strain(s) has (have) not been genetically modified. However, given that many of the strains in the PCC have not yet been examined for toxicity, or may contain other potentially harmful secondary metabolites, all of them should be treated with caution. Consequently, I declare to take all responsibilities for the safe handling and disposal of the strain(s). It (they) will be manipulated using standard bacteriological precautions and be made unviable by household bleach or autoclaving prior to discharge in the laboratory or in the environment.

The PCC strain number(s), the generic and, if known, specific assignment(s) of this (these) cyanobacterium (cyanobacteria) is (are) listed belows:

PCC \_\_\_\_\_ (please specify)

PCC \_\_\_\_\_

PCC \_\_\_\_\_

PCC \_\_\_\_\_

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**Signature**

*(To be signed by the Responsible scientist or supervisor for orders from students)*

**The shipment should be addressed to:**

**Laboratory:**

**To the attention of :**

**Address:**

**Postal Code:**

**Town:**

**Country :**

**Tel.:**

**Fax.:**

**E-mail:**