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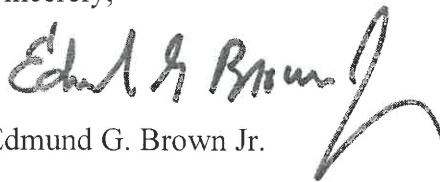
December 9, 2016

Jonathan Thomas, Ph.D., J.D.
Chair
Independent Citizens Oversight Committee
California Institute for Regenerative Medicine
1999 Harrison Street, Suite 1650
Oakland, California 94612

Dear Dr. Thomas,

Pursuant to Section 125290.20 of the California Health and Safety Code, I am nominating you to serve another term as chair and Art Torres to serve another term as vice chair of the Independent Citizens Oversight Committee. The body you lead has significant responsibility, and I look forward to its continued success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Edmund G. Brown Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.