*Model Release Authorization*

INSTRUCTIONS TO RESEARCHER:

1. Alter only the information specific to your study [italicized and in brackets]
2. Append this to the consent form as a separate page (so you can scan it electronically)

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**Authorization to Release FERPA-Protected Student Records to Researchers**

[*Title of Project*]

**Investigators who will have access to identified student records:** [*List Names; No undergraduate experimenters permitted*]

***I understand that, by signing this release, I am giving University researchers access to the FERPA-protected academic records listed below.***

I consent to have only the following UM [*and high school*] academic records released from the institutional FERPA office/r to the investigators listed above:

[*EXAMPLES:]*

* *[Current overall UM GPA]*
* *[UM GPA for this semester only]*
* *[High school GPA ]*
* *[Standardized test scores (ACT/SAT)]*

The Researchers:

* May use the information only for purposes of the approved research project. Any new use of the information requires new approval from the participant.
* Must provide adequate protection for the information to ensure that it is not compromised or subject to unauthorized access.
* Ensure that no one outside the research team has access to the information.

This authorization expires on: *\_\_ [Enter a reasonable date]* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

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Participant's Signature Date Full Name (as on ID Card) – Printed

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Student ID Number

I understand that (1) I have the right not to consent to the release of my education records, (2) I have the right to inspect any written records released pursuant to this Consent, and (3) I have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by delivering a written or emailed revocation to the investigator & copied to the IRB office ([irb@olemiss.edu](mailto:irb@olemiss.edu)).

This information is released subject to the confidentiality provisions of appropriate state and federal laws and regulations which prohibit any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by such regulations.