

OPTIONAL COLUMN E EXPLANATION FORM**AN EXPLORATORY EMBRYO-FETAL DEVELOPMENT DOSE RANGE-FINDING STUDY**

1. Registration Number: 22-R-0009
2. Number of animals used in this study – 100. Number of animals classified as category "E" - 25.
3. Species (common name) _____ Rabbits _____ of animals used in this study.
4. Explain the procedure producing pain and/or distress.

These animals were dosed with a pharmaceutical compound.

This compound has expected pharmacologic signs. These animals demonstrated dilated pupils, biting and chewing, and increased respiration. These signs were not considered so severe that intervention was necessary.

5. Provide scientific justification why pain and/or distress could not be relieved. State methods or means used to determine that pain and/or distress relief would interfere with test results. (For Federally mandated testing, see question 6 below)

6. What, if any, federal regulations require this procedure? Cite the agency, the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) title number and the specific section number (e.g., APHIS, 9 CFR 113.102):

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A MODIFIED ORAL EMBRYO-FETAL DEVELOPMENT DOSE RANGE-FINDING STUDY

1. Registration Number: 22-R-0009
2. Number of animals used in this study – 10. Number of animals classified as category "E" - 2.
3. Species (common name) ____ Rabbits ____ of animals used in this study.
4. Explain the procedure producing pain and/or distress.

These animals were dosed with a pharmaceutical compound.

Two animals demonstrated diarrhea for three days. There were no further clinical signs noted on these animals and they were euthanized as scheduled.

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