

R&D Tax Credit Supporting Documentation

1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE

1 This document serves as comprehensive supporting documentation for Research and Development (R&D) Tax Credit claims by Nexus Intelligent Systems, Inc. (hereinafter "Company") for fiscal years 2022 and 2023, prepared in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 41 and applicable Treasury Regulations.

2 The purpose of this documentation is to substantiate the Company's qualified research expenditures (QREs) and demonstrate compliance with statutory requirements for R&D tax credit eligibility.

2. COMPANY RESEARCH OVERVIEW

1 Company Research Profile

- Primary Research Focus: Advanced AI-driven predictive maintenance technologies
- Research Domains: Machine learning algorithms, industrial diagnostic systems, enterprise automation platforms
- Total R&D Personnel: 37 full-time researchers and engineers
- Annual R&D Investment: \$3.2 million (2022-2023)

2 Qualified Research Activities

The Company's research activities primarily encompass:

- a) Development of novel machine learning diagnostic tools
- b) Creation of predictive maintenance algorithms
- c) Enterprise digital transformation technology innovation
- d) Advanced computational modeling for industrial applications

3. QUALIFIED RESEARCH EXPENDITURE BREAKDOWN

1 Wage Calculations

- Total Qualified Research Wages: \$2,450,000
- Percentage of Time Allocated to Qualified Research: 65-85% for key technical personnel
- Detailed wage documentation maintained in accompanying payroll records

2 Supply and Materials Expenses

- Total Qualified Supply Expenses: \$375,000
- Includes computational hardware, software licenses, research prototyping materials
- Comprehensive expense tracking maintained in corporate accounting systems

3 Contract Research Expenses

- Third-Party Research Contracts: \$425,000
- Contracted research with academic and industrial research partners
- Detailed contract documentation available for review

4. TECHNOLOGICAL UNCERTAINTY DOCUMENTATION

1 Technical Challenges Addressed

- Developing AI algorithms capable of predicting complex industrial equipment failures
- Creating machine learning models with >95% predictive accuracy
- Designing scalable enterprise automation solutions

2 Technological Advancement Evidence

- Detailed technical design documents
- Prototype development records
- Experimental results and performance metrics
- Patent applications and intellectual property documentation

5. COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATIONS

1 Internal Certification

The undersigned hereby certify that:

- a) All research activities meet qualified research criteria
- b) Expenditure documentation is accurate and complete
- c) Research activities represent genuine technological innovation

2 External Validation

- Independent third-party R&D tax credit review conducted by Ernst & Young LLP
- Comprehensive audit completed on 2022-2023 research activities

6. LEGAL DISCLAIMERS

1 Documentation Limitations

This documentation represents a good-faith representation of the Company's R&D activities. The Company reserves the right to provide supplemental documentation upon request.

2 Confidentiality

All technical and financial information contained herein is confidential and protected under applicable trade secret and intellectual property laws.

7. EXECUTION

Executed this 22nd day of January, 2024

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