**Letter of Authorization transfer to Local Institutional Review Board**

Dear MU-DT/PY-IRB Chairperson

According to the document from Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University No. 0517.02/7513 date Oct 14, 2009, Subject: “Guideline for Graduate Students in Research Proposal Ethical Clearance” that allows a graduate student who wishes to carry on his/her research in homeland country request for IRB authority transfer from IRBs in Mahidol University to the IRB in his/her homeland country to oversight the study.

I, Mr./Miss/Mrs. ………………………………., a researcher who is a student of Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University, ID Number………………..……,Major in…………..…....,Faculty/Institute/College ………………….………………………… will conduct the research entitled ………………..…at the research site…..…(specify the location, country)………..

Please kindly consider my request for authority transfer from MU-DT/PY-IRB to ….....(specify the IRB name and affiliate institute of homeland country)………

Signature:………………………………… Signature:……………..……..………………

(…………………….…………) (…………..………..……………)

 Researcher’s Signature Major Advisor/Program Chair’s

 Date…………/………../…………. Date…………/………../………….

**MU-DT/PY-IRB Chair opinion**

Accepted the request in authority transfer from Mahidol University to the homeland IRB as specify in oversighting this research from the commencement until 3 years after research closure.

 Signature: ……..………….……………………..……

 (Associate Professor Dr.Sirima Sanguansin)

 MU-DT/PY-IRB Chair

Date………..…/…………./….……...

**Remark:** Upon receiving the Certificate of Approval (COA) from the homeland IRB, please send a copy of the COA to the Faculty of Graduate Studies and the MU-DT/PY-IRB.