[Your Name]

[your address, email, phone #]

PERMISSION TO USE DNA RESEARCH RESULTS IN PUBLICATIONS AND IN LECTURES

Dear XXX:

Thank you for allowing me to use your DNA results in a written work that will be submitted for publication and also for [other purposes that you designate]. I like to use research examples in my teaching and writing. I would like to have your permission to use the work I do for you as examples in my teaching and lecturing. Because of the unique nature of DNA, please consider the following points. Please indicate that you give your permission by initialing the blanks and signing and dating the bottom of the form.

<div align="right">Sincerely,

[Your Name]</div>

_____Your DNA results will be analyzed, compared, and correlated with the results of your potential cousins to provide evidence that [XXX—specific purpose of the study goes here].

_____ In the written work, you will be anonymous. Your username and kit number used at your DNA testing company may be revealed for the written work to be viewed as legitimate and reproducible. Your name in the written work will be known similarly to TTSK-J-12.

_____ For analysis and correlation your DNA may be uploaded to other sites. As part of the review process, necessary in preparing a written work for publication, this work and your DNA results will be confidentially reviewed by other professionals in genealogy and genetic genealogy.

_____ I give [Your Name] permission to use my DNA results in teaching and lecturing.

_____ Unexpected results about yourself, your immediate family, or your ancestors might be revealed by DNA testing. Medical information may be revealed by DNA testing.

_____ You should designate a beneficiary for your DNA results.

_____ You may withdraw your permission from participating in this study at any time.

Please review the Genetic Genealogy Standards <http://www.thegeneticgenealogist.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/01/Genetic-Genealogy-Standards.pdf>

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Signature or Signature of legal representative   Date