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## THE CHIEF OF DEPART-MENT

**CONSIDERING** THE RESEARCH GRANT APPLICATIONS TO THE WORLD ANTI-DOPING ANGENCY (WADA)

**CONSIDERING** Dr. Patrizia Proia's project entitled "FROM EPIGENETICS A NEW TOOL FOR ANTI-DOPING DETECTION" the relevant elements of which are reported below:

- Estimate time: 36 months;
- Utilize of human specimens from subjects that intake or not, anabolic steroid hormones;
- Develop an innovative and sensitive method to detect the anabolic-androgenic steroids (AAS) abuse, starting from body fluids

**CONSIDERING** that the topic is fully congruent with the scientific objectives of the Department;

## **DECREES**

to express a favourable opinion on the proposed research project by Dr. Patrizia Proia and agrees, in case of financing of the project in question, to ensure the person responsible for the availability of necessary resources for the fulfilment of the project with human resources and spaces, ensuring also that the management of the project activity will not result in any charge on the budget of the University

The Chief of Department

Prof. Stefano Boca