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March 2, 2015

Dr. Somashekar Krishna

The Ohio State University Medical Center

395 West Doan, 12th Street

Columbus, OH 43210

Dear Dr. Krishna:

We are pleased to notify you that you have been awarded a Clinical Research Award from the American College of Gastroenterology in the amount of \$10,000 for your project entitled, "Comparison of Ex-vivo needle based confocal laser endomicroscopy and surgical histopathology of cystic pancreatic lesions." Please use the attached reply form to notify Anne-Louise Oliphant in the College's office, at 6400 Goldsboro Rd, Suite 200, Bethesda, MD 20817 (telephone 301-263-9000 or fax 301-263-9025) of the correct organization to which the check should be made payable along with a Federal Identification Number.

This grant is provided with the following stipulations:

1. The funds are restricted to usage for the specific project, investigator(s) and institution(s) stated in your grant proposal. Within that project, the funds are largely unrestricted and can be used for whatever phase of the research you deem necessary, subject however to the limitations of the ACG Clinical Research Awards announcement. In particular, university indirect/overhead expenses are not permitted and funds cannot be used for investigator salaries.
2. If you have not already done so, you must forward evidence that the protocol has been approved by the appropriate Institutional Review Board for Human Research. For proposals that involve payment of human subjects, please also forward the IRB approved consent form. No funds will be released without IRB approval.
3. Publications that arise from this effort should acknowledge that the work was supported by a Clinical Research Award from the American College of Gastroenterology.
4. You are encouraged, but not required, to submit the results of this work for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American College of Gastroenterology and for publication in *The American Journal of Gastroenterology*.
5. If an abstract of this work is submitted to, and accepted by the Program Committee for the Annual Meeting of the American College of Gastroenterology, travel expenses not to exceed \$500 (coach airfare) to and from the meeting may be requested from the College; this will be given in addition to the award.

Annual Scientific Meeting and Postgraduate Course
October 16 – 21, 2015, Hawaii Convention Center, Honolulu, Hawaii
www.acgmeetings.gi.org

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Funding will begin on July 1, 2015. We require a final report by December 31, 2016. Instructions for the preparation of these progress reports will be sent to you later.

Please note that if the Primary Investigator is a Trainee, the attached reply form should be signed by the Responsible Investigator named in the proposal. The Responsible Investigator shall fulfill the reporting requirements of the grant and be accountable for the funds.

Congratulations, and we wish you the best of success with this project.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N. Shaheen' with a stylized flourish at the end.

Nicholas J. Shaheen, MD, MPH, FACG
ACG Institute Director

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Hanauer' with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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