**Graduate Student Permission to Work Independently After Hours**

This form should be filled out by the PI requesting permission for a graduate student to work independently after normal business hours (normal business hours are defined as being between 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.).

This form must be *turned in* to the Chair of the Research Safety Committee (RSC Chair) or the Chemical Hygiene Officer (CHO) *at least 14 days for review and include an SOP for the project.* Laboratory activities that could place the student in a potentially hazardous situation will be denied. In denied cases, the PI should work with the RSC Chair or the CHO to modify the project to reduce the hazards, obtain a partner, or complete it during normal business hours.

Name(s) of student(s) seeking permission to work in the laboratory after regular working hours:

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Experiment/Reason student(s) may need to come after hours (give specific lab activities to be performed)

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Location (room number) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

As a faculty member, I certify that the above laboratory activity is safe for a student to perform independently and poses no possible danger to the student.

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| **Faculty Signature** |  | **Date** |

As a student, I agree to comply with all the established safety guidelines outlined in the NS Laboratory Safety Manual and any additional safety instructions from my faculty member.

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| **Student(s) Signature** |  | **Date** |

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| **RSC Chair or Dean’s Signature (approval)** |  | **Date** |

(circle to indicate RSC Chair or Dean’s signature)