

APPENDIX O \ Certification From Gabriel Feldman



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To Whom It May Concern:

The authors of this Report have demonstrated a strong commitment to ensuring their integrity and independence as academic researchers. To help ensure the quality of their work, the authors of this Report sought peer reviews from well-respected experts in the relevant fields addressed by the Report, and asked me to serve as “lead reviewer” to certify the adequacy and integrity of the peer review process. In that role, I have reviewed the comments from the reviewers, the changes the authors made to the Report in light of those comments, and the authors’ explanations for changes not made. I have also provided my own comments on the Report and have reviewed the authors’ response to those comments. Based on this review, I certify that the peer reviewers possess the appropriate expertise to review this Report, the authors adequately, fully, and fairly considered the comments received and the Report reflects appropriate changes where warranted.

It is my understanding that the stakeholders discussed in this report also submitted comments to the authors. My certification only applies to the comments made by the peer reviewers. Review and response to the comments made the respective stakeholders was part of a separate process.

Sincerely,

/Gabe Feldman