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Amendment to the Bilateral Cooperation Between Shenyang Pharmaceutical University and Instituto Nacional de Investigação Agrária e Veterinária

SHENYANG PHARMACEUTICAL UNIVERSITY (SYPHU) is a Public University belonging to the Ministry of Education of China, situated in Wenhua Road, nº 103, 110016 Shenyang, China, referred as **SYPHU**, and duly represented by its President, Prof. Bi Kaishun.

INSTITUTO NACIONAL DE INVESTIGAÇÃO AGRÁRIA E VETERINÁRIA, I. P. (INIAV, I.P.) is a Public Scientific Research Institution from the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Development, of Portugal, located in Quinta do Marquês, Avenida da República, Nova Oeiras, 2784-505 Oeiras, referred as **INIAV**, and duly represented by its President, Prof. Doctor Nuno Canada.

For more than 15 years, the research group of Baoshan Sun of **INIAV** and the research groups of Prof. Chunfu Wu and Prof. Yuqing Zhao of **SYPHU**, have a very good scientific cooperation in the area of grape and wine polyphenols. Following the visit of the governmental delegation led by vice-governor of Liaoning Province to INIAV in June (9-13) 2012, an agreement of bilateral cooperation for creating “Grape and Wine Research Institute” in Shenyang Pharmaceutical University was signed by both Institutions. The actual name of this Institute is “School of Functional Food and Wine”, created on November 11, 2015, which covers not only “Viticulture and Enology”, but also “Food Science and Technology”, as well as “Natural Plant Nutraceuticals”. Based on these cooperation results, both institutions are strongly willing to strengthen their bilateral cooperation by extending their agreement with the following articles:

Article 1

The areas of bilateral cooperation between the two institutions shall include not only Enology and Viticulture but also Food Science and Technology, Food Safety and Security, Natural Plants.



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Article 2

Concrete actions of cooperation

The cooperation between **INIAV** and **SYPHU** will be concreted to the execution of scientific projects approved by the two institutions in the areas indicated in **Article 1**, which include the following items:

- 1 Conducting training of MD, PhD and post-Doc students and visit of researchers;
- 2 Exchange of scientific information;
- 3 Preparing research projects to apply in public calls;
- 4 Joint Organization of scientific seminars and workshops;
- 5 Publishing together scientific achievements in international peer reviewed journals.

Article 3

Financial support

The cooperation actions mentioned in **Article 2** will be totally financed by the ongoing scientific projects and by the projects to be awarded in the future, which should also have the budget available for such financial support.

Article 4

Cooperation achievements predicted in the next 3 years

- 1 Papers to be published in international SCI journals: 5 - 8.
 - 2 Patent to be awarded: 1-2
 - 3 Training of PhD student or post-docs: 3-5
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Article 5

Intellectual property rights

1. Each Party will notify immediately, in writing, the other Party, should any improvement, invention or discovery (whether patentable or not) occurs, concerning the scientific cooperation under this Agreement.
2. Neither Party will be entitled to dispose of any rights under this Agreement without the written consent of the other Party, in strict accordance with intellectual property national and international laws.

Article 6

Duration of the convention

The present Cooperation Agreement will be valid for 3 years from the date of signature, and renewed successively by equal periods, unless any one of the two institutions makes a negative declaration (at least 60 days before the end of each valid period).

Lisbon, 31st August 2016

On Behalf of:

Shenyang Pharmaceutical University

Hou Yanlin - Vice-President

Signature:

On Behalf of:

Instituto Nacional de Investigação Agrária e
Veterinária, I.P.

Nuno Canada - President

Signature: