- (2) ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE, THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND THE MARYLAND SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, AND TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION THAT:
- (I) ESTABLISHES THE SCOPE OF THE STATE'S OWNERSHIP OR OTHER FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE COMMERCIALIZATION AND OTHER BENEFITS OF THE RESULTS, PRODUCTS, INVENTIONS, AND DISCOVERIES OF CANCER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES FUNDED BY A STATEWIDE ACADEMIC HEALTH CENTER CANCER RESEARCH GRANT;
- (II) ESTABLISHES A PLAN FOR EXPEDITING THE TRANSLATION OF CANCER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES INTO TREATMENT PROTOCOLS AND CLINICAL TRIALS; AND
- (III) TO THE EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL AND STATE LAW, REFLECTS THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY POLICIES OF THE STATEWIDE ACADEMIC HEALTH CENTER
- (C) A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBSECTION (B)(2) OF THIS SECTION MAY ALLOW FOR THE SELECTION OF A HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION OR PRIVATE ENTITY TO EXPEDITE THE TRANSLATION OF CANCER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES INTO TREATMENT PROTOCOLS AND CLINICAL TRIALS.
- (D) THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT DISTRIBUTE A STATEWIDE ACADEMIC HEALTH CENTER CANCER RESEARCH GRANT UNLESS THE DEPARTMENT FIRST DETERMINES THAT:
- (1) A CANCER RESEARCH PLAN WILL HELP ACHIEVE THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM;
- (2) THE INSTITUTION THAT RECEIVES THE GRANT WILL NOT USE ANY PART OF THE GRANT TO SUPPLANT EXISTING CANCER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF CURRENT EXPENDITURE BY THE INSTITUTION;
- (3) THE GRANT WILL BE USED TO FUND CANCER RESEARCH ACTIVITIES THAT RELATE TO TARGETED CANCERS;
- (4) THE INSTITUTION HAS EXECUTED A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (B)(2) OF THIS SECTION; AND
- (5) THE INSTITUTION SATISFIES ANY OTHER REQUIREMENT ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT AS A CONDITION OF RECEIVING THE GRANT. 13-1117.
- (A) (1) SUBJECT TO THE OTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY DISTRIBUTE A STATEWIDE ACADEMIC HEALTH CENTER TOBACCO-RELATED DISEASES RESEARCH GRANT TO THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND MEDICAL GROUP FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENHANCING RESEARCH