2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation License Agreement

In the remainder of this document the term **User** refers to _______________________ of __________________________________ and the term **User's Research Group** refers to __________________________________________________________________________.

**User** agrees, on behalf of User’s Research Group, to receive media (CD-ROM, DVD, hard drive, web download, etc.) containing speech and/or text data from the Linguistic Data Consortium (LDC) named below under “Corpora/Data Received” and to use the material received under this agreement (the “Data”) only for purposes of the 2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation. User and User’s Research Group may include limited excerpts from the Data in articles, reports and other documents describing the results of work performed in the 2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation. User further agrees not to otherwise publish, retransmit, disclose, display, copy, reproduce or redistribute the Data to others outside of User's Research Group.

If User is a member of the LDC, User may retain the Data. If User is not a member of the LDC, User shall return the Data to the LDC as follows: (1) If User fails to register for the 2008 NIST Speaker Recognition evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before February 29, 2008**; (2) If User fails to submit evaluation results by the date established for such results in the 2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before April 30, 2008**; and (3) If User fulfills all requirements of the 2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before July 31, 2008**.

All Data is provided “as is” and neither the Linguistic Data Consortium nor the University of Pennsylvania warrants the accuracy, completeness, currentness, merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose of the Data. In no event will the Linguistic Data Consortium or the University of Pennsylvania be liable for any loss or injury caused in whole or in part by its negligence or contingencies beyond its control in procuring, compiling, interpreting, editing, writing, reporting or delivering the Data, or for any errors, omissions or inaccuracies in the Data, regardless of how caused. In no event will the Linguistic Data Consortium or the University of Pennsylvania be liable to User, User’s Research Group, or to any other individual or organization for any decision made or action taken in reliance upon any part of the Data or for any consequential, direct, special or similar damages, even if advised of the possibility of such damages.

User shall send a signed copy of this agreement by facsimile to the LDC, Attention: Ilya Ahtaridis, fax number 215-573-2175.
Corpora/Data Received:

LDC2006E100 1996-2006 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation Data Collection

Organization: ________________________________________________
Name: _____________________________________________________
Title: _____________________________________________________
Signature: _________________________________________________
Date: _____________________________________________________

For LDC:

Christopher Cieri
Executive Director