WRITTEN COMMITMENT TO MAINTAIN BABY-FRIENDLY HOSPITAL DESIGNATION

___________________ (name of hospital) has received approval from its Board of Directors and/or authorized agents to commit to maintaining the Baby-Friendly Hospital designation attained through the funding from First 5 LA’s Best Start LA Baby-Friendly Hospital Project. (Please attach the formal approval to this fully executed written commitment.)

____________________ (name of hospital) hereby commits and agrees to maintain compliance with the 10 Steps to Successful Breastfeeding as required by Baby-Friendly USA, implementing the Baby-Friendly Hospital Initiative, sponsored by the World Health Organization (WHO) and the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) on an ongoing basis during the hospital’s operation.

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Name of Hospital

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Agency’s Authorized Signature        Date

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Print Name of Authorized Agent/Title