# Department of Materials Science and Engineering

# **BILLING AUTHORIZATION FORM**

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Project #	Begin Date mm/dd/yy	End Date Max Amount mm/dd/yy		
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The Department of Materials Science and Engineering (MSE) may charge the Project Number indicated by an amount up to the Maximum Amount Authorized for services and consumables provided to the Authorized User. All charges by MSE will only be for services performed and/or for consumables used. Services will be charged at currently applicable MSE use rates and consumables will be charged at a rate that covers the cost of providing the consumables. No modifications of instrumentation or procedures are allowed without written MSE approval.

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A one hour minimum charge will be assessed for all instrumentation use time and Department of Materials Science and Engineering operator time. Time that was scheduled and not utilized where there was no cancellation within at least 24 hours notice may be charged.

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## Signatures

Principal Investigator	(your signature is authorization for billing)	Date
Authorized User		Date
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