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Integrated Biomimetic Carbon Nanotube Composites for *In Vivo* Systems

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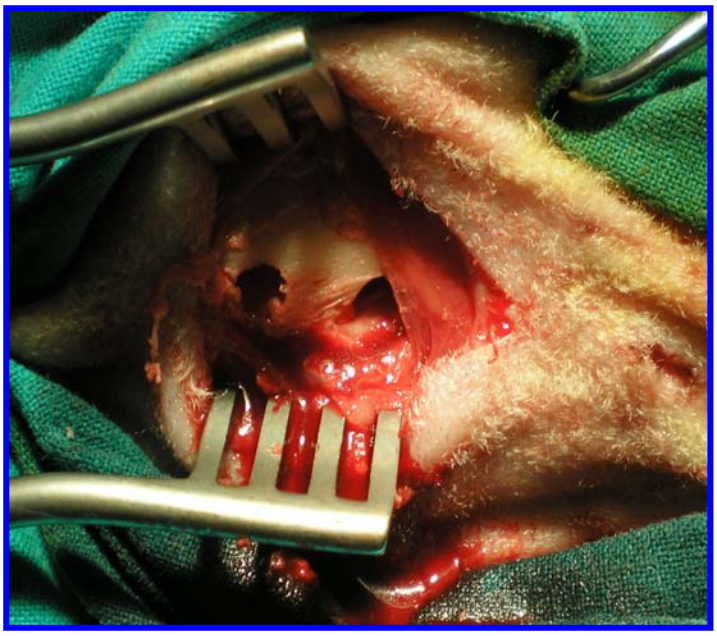

Figure S1: Optical image of three holes drilled in tibial bone of a sheep before implantation.

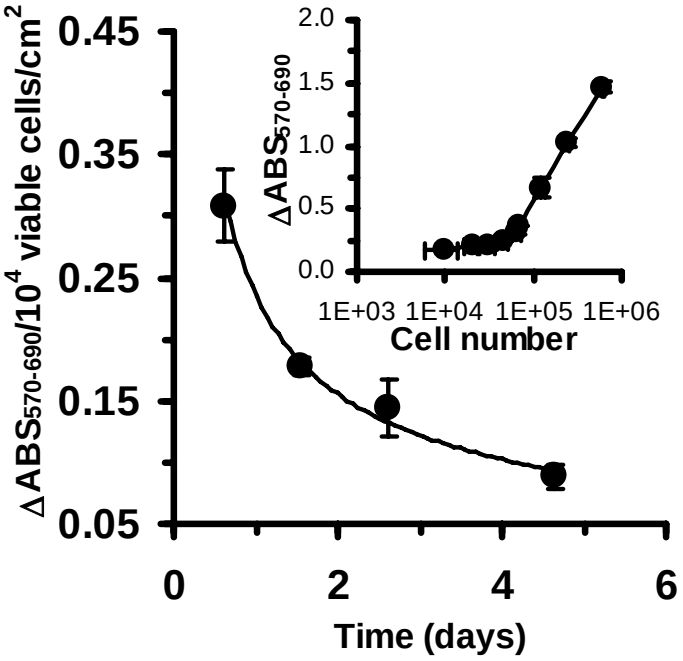

Figure S2: MG 63 cell survival and proliferation after plating on 12-well polystyrene culture plates measured with a MTT assay. MTT cleavage by mitochondrial dehydrogenases of viable cells was spectrophotometrically measured at a wavelength of 570 nm and the background absorbance at 690 nm was subtracted. Beyond an increase in cell number resulting in a concomitant enhancement in absorbance values at 570 nm (inset), a decrease of MTT reduction values normalized by viable cell number was observed as the cell cultures aged from day 1 to day 5. The data points shown on each plot represent the mean ± S.E. for 6 (main panel) and 2 (inset) independent MTT assays, while cell density values (mean ± S.E.) for each experimental condition were analyzed in the 50 images as described in the Material and Methods.