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## INFORMATION AND CONSENT FORM

### Speech Production Experiments

Project title: Comparing Dialects and Languages using Statistical Measures of Rhythm; Principal researchers: Drs. Greg Kochanski and Elinor Keane.

These experiments investigate which aspects of speech (other than the words, of course) are stable within a dialect or language and which are allowed to vary. We will ask you to read a variety of paragraphs and will record and measure them. You will be reimbursed £10 per session for estimated expenses related to your participation; if expenses are likely to exceed that, please discuss it with the experimenter in advance and keep receipts.

Please initial box  
Yes      No

- I confirm that the experiment has been described to me and that I have had the opportunity to ask questions.
- I understand that my participation is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw at any time, without giving any reason.
- I agree to take part in the above study.
- I agree that the audio recordings can be publicly released once they have been checked to ensure that I cannot reasonably be identified.

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