POLICY STATEMENT 119 COMPLIANCE WITH EXPORT CONTROL REGULATIONS

POLICY DIGEST

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I. PURPOSE

To define export control and related terms, comply with federal export control laws and regulations, establish responsibility for export control compliance, and institute related policies and procedures.

II. DEFINITIONS

<u>Director of Research Compliance</u>: administrative officer responsible for the oversight of LSU research compliance matters, including export controls.

Export: Includes any of the following:

- A. actual shipment of any covered goods or items;
- B. the electronic or digital transmission of any covered goods, items or related goods or items;

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corporation, business association, partnership society, trust or any other entity, organization or group that is not incorporated to do business in the United States. This also includes any governmental entity.

<u>Fundamental Research</u>: Under the <u>EAR</u> and the <u>ITAR</u>, fundamental research means basic or applied research in science and engineering performed or conducted at an accredited institution of higher learning in the United States where the resulting information is ordinarily published and shared broadly in the scientific community. Fundamental research is distinguished from research that results in information that is restricted for proprietary reasons or national security reasons (EAR) or pursuant to specific US government access and dissemination controls (ITAR).

International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR): 22 CFR Sections 120-130, are the regulations promulgated and implemented by the Department of State which regulate defense articles and defense services and related technical data listed on the U.S. Munitions Control List (USML), 22 CFR § 121.

III. GENERAL POLICY

Louisiana State University encourages and supports an open research environment for conducting fundamental research but also acknowledges that the government of the United States has enacted export control laws, regulations, and other guidelines that restrict the shipment, transfer, or transmission of certain items, services, technology, and software to foreign countries, as well as the release of controlled technology and software to foreign persons within the United States. Export control regulations exist for purposes of national security, foreign policy, competitive trade, and prevention of the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction.

Although most research conducted at LSU is excluded from export control regulations, LSU also engages in activities, research and the development of new technologies that are subject to export restrictions. LSU and its employees are required to comply with US export control regulations, including the <u>International Traffic in Arms Regulations</u> (ITAR) through the Department of State; the <u>Export</u> Administ c

the Director of Research Compliance in ORED as soon as they are aware of any export control requirements applying to their proposal or project.

V. SOURCES

International Traffic in Arms Regulations Export Administration Regulations Office of Foreign Assets Controls

VI. APPENDIX

Export Control Compliance Manual