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Office of the Vice President for Research

MEMORANDUM

Date: July 1, 2009

To: Main Campus Faculty, Staff, Students, and Administration

From: Julia Fulghum, Vice President for Research *JF*

Re: Commitment to Export Control Compliance at UNM

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The University of New Mexico (UNM) is dedicated to ensuring that its research and educational programs operate to the greatest extent possible in an open environment that encourages the free exchange of information and ideas, particularly among faculty and students. At the same time, the University recognizes that some technologies and commodities that are utilized or, in some instances, generated or developed in the research environment are subject to federal licensing requirements under export control statutes and regulations.

This commitment extends to promoting strict compliance on an on-going basis with terms and conditions. These laws serve important U.S. national security and foreign policy interests and violations of these laws can significantly undermine efforts to protect the U.S. from attack and can endanger both U.S. and non-U.S. persons throughout the world.

All employees, students and other persons retained by or working at UNM, shall comply with all export controls in the Export Administration Act, the Export Administration Regulations (EAR), and the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR). Penalties for non-compliance with export control laws are severe and impact both the institution and the researcher.

Thank you.