

Attachment 4: Determination of Exempt Status 0925-XXXX Exp. XX-XXXX



INSTITUTE FOR DEFENSE ANALYSES

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**Memorandum To: Brian Zuckerman, Ph.D.
IDA/STPI**

Date: December 7, 2007

Re: Determination of Exempt Status

Task Title: Evaluations/Strategic Implementation Analyses of Global Health
Research Initiative Program for New Foreign Investigators and Stigma and Global
Health Research Program (Short Title: GRIP_STIGMA)
Task Order No.: OSTP-20-0002.29

The Institute for Defense Analyses (IDA) has determined that the study referenced above is exempt from the Basic HHS Policy for Protection of Human Research Subjects (45 CFR 46) based on a review of the research materials. In accordance with 45 CFR 46.101(b)(2), this study meets the following criterion for exempt status:

Research involving the use of educational tests, survey procedures, interview procedures, or observation of public behavior where disclosure would not reasonably place the subjects at risk of civil or criminal penalty or be damaging to their financial standing, employability, or reputation.

Any changes in the research protocol must be submitted for review to determine if the study remains exempt. This review must occur prior to the changes in the research protocol being initiated.

Please direct all questions or concerns to me at 703/845-2500 or rgreenst@ida.org.

Sincerely,

Ruth Greenstein