Research and Sponsored Programs Procedures for Handling the Transfer of Property Purchased for Sponsored Projects to Another University

The University of Arkansas, with the <u>prior</u> approval of the Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration (DF&A), <u>may</u> transfer expendable and non-expendable property purchased for a sponsored project when the principal investigator transfers to another institution. The University <u>may</u> approve such transfers when the following conditions are satisfied and University procedures are followed. The conditions and procedures are set forth below. THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THE UNIVERSITY OR DF&A WILL APPROVE THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY FOR ANY REASON.

CONDITIONS

- 1. The sponsoring agency's written terms and conditions do not prohibit transfer of property purchased using agency funds.
- 2. The Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration approves the transfer in advance.
- 3. The University (department, unit, business office) approves the transfer in advance.
- 4. The property is necessary for the completion of the work.
- 5. The property is not required for use by other faculty and/or students.
- 6. The University receives fair market value for the property.
- 7. The receiving institution pays all shipping and handling costs associated with the transfer.

PROCEDURES

- 1. The principal investigator (PI) notifies the office of research and sponsored programs (RSSP) of his or her intent to transfer to another institution and his or her desire to transfer a sponsored project (grant/contract/cooperative agreement) and/or associated property to the other institution.
- 2. The PI compiles a list detailing the property requested to be transferred using the form attached herein.
- 3. The department head/chair transmits the list along with his or her approval to the unit head (dean, etc.) for consideration.
- 4. The unit head transmits the list with his or her approval to RSSP.
- 5. RSSP seeks approval from the University's Business Affairs for transfer.
- 6. RSSP distributes copies of the approved transfer to the PI, the department, the unit, Business Affairs, and Financial Affairs.
- 7. RSSP coordinates with the department to effect the transfer and invoice the receiving institution.

Signatures:

PI request	Department Approval
Ву:	By:
Name:	Name:
Date:	Date:
Unit Approval	RSSP Approval
Ву:	By:
Name:	Name:
Date:	Date:
Business Affairs Approval	
By:	
Name:	
Date:	