

SHSU Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)
Request for Exemption from IACUC Approval for Field Studies

Submit this completed form to the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs.
Notification of exempt status will usually occur with 7 days of receipt.

Date Received: _____

A. Project Information		
Title of Project / Course:		
Type of Application:	New	Modification to Exempt Field Study No.
Nature of Work:	Research	Instruction
Funding Source/Agency:	6 W D U W ' D W H (Q G ' D W H	

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I. Statement of Understanding and Agreement

By signing this form, I certify that:

- 1) I have acquainted myself with thnted melan]TJ ET]TJ 2 386 J 2>>B7icm 3901996(con-20.994)-5(er ft.9012(ndTJ 2 38 Ucm -8 vertebrate animals in testing, research, and educational activities.
- 2) Field studies are, first and foremost, subject to the animal care and use requirements and regulations imposed by any agency funding the study.
- 3) All animals will be studied in their natural environment. Every attempt will be made to avoid excessive disturbance due to research or teaching activity. The proposed activities do not involve the capture, handling, housing, transportation, treatment or euthanasia of any vertebrate animals. Should these procedures become necessary during the course of the study, I will submit Form C, Research Application for Animal Care and Use, for IACUC approval prior to initiating any change in protocol.
- 4) All personnel, including students, involved in this study have received proper training appropriate to the nature and scope of the study to ensure that the health and safety of animals and persons in the field are not compromised.

Principal Investigator Signature	_____	Date	_____
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*. Project Summary

In language understandable to a lay person, provide a description of the study protocol in the space below. This