

Department of Defense Certification of Environmental Compliance

Effective 10/09/09

The Office of Environmental Health & Safety will issue a Certificate of Environmental Compliance upon receipt of an abstract of the proposal. If funding is obtained for the proposed project, a Memorandum of Understanding (MUA) must be submitted and approved by the Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC) for any research that involves the use of recombinant DNA (rDNA) and/or any biological hazardous material assessed as a Biosafety Level 2 (BSL-2) or higher before **any** research can commence. [MUA](#)

Completed Certificates of Compliance will be returned via email as Adobe PDF files unless other arrangements are made. When the completed form is returned via email, the original will be returned to you in Campus Mail. For your convenience, the MUA document is in Microsoft Word format.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please call Mike Elliott at 400-4984.