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## Statement of Agreement for External Researchers

Title of Research Project: _____

*LAUSD policy states that research conducted in LAUSD will not be published using the district's name.* The District reserves the right to withdraw consent to the publication of any such writing if the District determines that the privacy rights of its students are jeopardized or such writing contains statements that the District considers unacceptable for publication due to, but not limited to, sampling error, flaws in analysis, or misrepresentation of findings.

I, (please print) _____, as the principal investigator of the above-named study, understand and agree with the above statements and will follow the guidelines set forth.

*Please check each box and sign below to affirm that you have read and agree to the following terms:*

☐ I will **not** name LAUSD in the reports or publications resulting from the above-named research/ evaluation study.

☐ The proposed research activities to be conducted with the use of Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) resources comply with existing LAUSD research guidelines and legal and ethical codes.

☐ The research will not differ from the activities described within the proposal.

☐ All participation will be voluntary, and it is understood that approval of the proposal, if granted, will not obligate any person, school, or office in LAUSD to participate.

☐ Any amendments to the original proposal must be submitted to and approved by CERR.

☐ All researchers agree to provide LAUSD SD&E with a written update on study progress, including relevant findings, no later than a year following the date of approval.

**If this** report or publication is based on archival /secondary data obtained under a data-use agreement with LAUSD then:

☐ I agree to provide an advance copy of any publication to CERR *at least* 30 days in advance of the publication date to enable us to review it.

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Signature of Principal Investigator Date Signed

***NOTE:*** *Please submit a scanned copy of the signed document with your proposal submission. Failure to uphold the tenets of this agreement may result in loss of approval for this and future research applications.*