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#### Authority Delegated

To effect NIH-wide compliance with all applicable laws, regulations, policies, and standards regarding the humane care and use of laboratory animals in support of the NIH Intramural Research Program (IRP).

To Whom Delegated	Area of Authority
Deputy Director for Intramural Research, NIH	NIH IRP

All previous delegations of authority inconsistent with the provisions of this delegation are superseded.

#### Redelegation

This authority may be redelegated.

#### Citations

1. Sec. 495 of the Public Health Service Act, 42 U.S.C. 289d
2. 7 U.S.C. 2131, et seq
3. 9 CFR, Parts 1-3, Animal Welfare
4. PHS Policy on Humane Care and Use of Laboratory Animals
5. NIH Manual Chapter 3040-2, Animal Care and Use in the Intramural Program
6. Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, 1985 (or subsequent editions)

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