IV J. Trademarks

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IV K. Faculty Involvement And Residual Rights In Films, Videotapes, And Other Instructional Media

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IV L. Business Policies And Procedures

Many additional policies and procedures which may affect faculty are included in the BPPM which is available online. Among the policies covered in detail in that manual are the following.

1. Use of Name and Logo

The name Washington State University and its logo are the exclusive property of the institution and consequently, should not be used in support of claims or advertisements by any outside organization without permission of the president. Research grants from commercial concerns are given in accordance with a memorandum of understanding which states that the name of the University or any of its departments shall not be used in connection with advertising except by permission.

Faculty members publish a considerable number of reports in the form of bulletins, circulars, scientific articles, monographs, and books, some of which are copyrighted and others which are not. Material from such recognized publications is, of course, quotable, and proper recognition should be given both to the individual author and to the publishing institution of quotations.

University stationery may be used only for official University business. No report or statement relating to private consulting or other services may use the name of Washington State University or be attributed to it. The use of official titles for personal gain or publicity is not appropriate procedure. See BPPM 60.44.

2. Project Funds From Outside Sources

The University encourages individual investigators, departments, and other units to seek financial support for research and other scholarly and creative activities from sources outside the funds ordinarily available to the Board of Regents. Numerous organizations, governmental units, and other agencies offer support for research programs. Demonstrated ability and recognized professional standing of an individual or group constitute the most important means of attracting financial assistance.

Policies and procedures relative to projects supported by outside agencies have been established. A copy of these policies is included in the BPPM. All proposals for research, academic, scholarly, creative, instructional, extension, and service activities require approval of the chair of the department, the dean of