Lewis Center for Educational Research

BP 6163.2 INSTRUCTION

ANIMALS AT SCHOOL

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The Board of Directors ("Board") for the Lewis Center for Educational Research ("LCER") recognizes that animals can contribute to the LCER's instructional programs by being effective teaching aids to students and by assisting individuals with disabilities to access LCER programs and activities. In addition, instruction related to the care and treatment of animals teaches students a sense of responsibility and promotes the humane treatment of living creatures.

The President/Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") or designee shall develop rules and procedures to ensure that when animals are brought to school, the health, safety, and welfare of students, staff, and the animals are protected. However, the LCER assumes no liability for the safety of animals allowed on LCER property.