

**EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND SPONSORED PROGRAMS**

Request for Exception to the Principal Investigator Eligibility Policy

APPLICANT INFORMATION - Please attach a current biosketch (3 pages maximum).

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Middle Initial:** _____

Current Position Title (e.g. Adjunct faculty, part-time faculty, emeritus faculty): _____

Requested Role: ☐ ETSU Principal Investigator
 ☐ ETSU Co-Principal Investigator
 ☐ ETSU Co-Investigator

Please select the proposal type(s) that the applicant plans to submit:

☐ Basic Research ☐ Applied Research ☐ Developmental Research ☐ Other Research
☐ Training ☐ Public Service ☐ Other Service ☐ Equipment
☐ Other (Please describe): _____

Name and Title of the full-time faculty member serving as Co-Principal Investigator:

SIGNATURES AND APPROVALS

Applicant

By signing this request, I understand that approval of this exception to policy neither implies that ETSU will extend or increase my current appointment period nor does it create an obligation to do so; and that this request has been submitted through my home department/unit. In addition, I certify that I will lead, conduct and participate in ETSU's sponsored programs with integrity; and that I will comply with sponsored award terms and conditions, all applicable federal laws and regulations, state statutes and codes, and ETSU policies and procedures regarding research and sponsored programs.

Applicant Signature

Date

Department Chair / Research Unit and Center Directors

By signing this request, I certify that:

- The necessary facilities and other required resources will be available to him/her through completion of this project.
- In the event the applicant is no longer able or willing to participate in ETSU research programs, the department/unit will collaborate with the ORSPA to appoint a qualified individual as a replacement or resolve the matter consistent with the award terms and conditions and ETSU policy.

Signature

Date

☐ Not Approved ☐ Approved – Indefinite End Date ☐ Approved - End Date:

Vice Provost for Research

Date