DISPLAY AND SAFETY GUIDELINES for ALL PROJECTS

Items/Materials Not Allowed on Display or at Project Booth
1. Any information on the project display or items that are acknowledgments, self-promotions or
external endorsements are not allowed in the project booth.
x a. The use of logos including known commercial brands, institutional crests or trademarks, flags
unless integral to the project and approved by the SRC via inclusion in the Official Abstract and
Certification.
x b. Personalized graphic/logos that are developed to indicate a commercial purpose or viability
of an established or proposed business associated with the project. The only exception is a
student-created logo may be displayed at the project once.
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provided in the official ISEF paperwork, most notably Form 1C.
x d. Any reference to patent status of the project.
x e. Any items intended for distribution such as disks, CDs, flash drives, brochures, booklets,
endorsements, give-away items, business cards, printed materials or food items designed to be
distributed to judges or the public. Once again, handouts to judges and to the public are limited
to UNALTERED photocopies of the official abstract and certification.
2. Any awards or medals, except for past or present ISEF medals that may be worn by the finalist.

3. Postal addresses, World Wide Web, email and/or social media addresses, QR codes, telephone
and/or fax numbers of a project or finalist. Note: The only personal information that is permissible to
include on the display is information that is also included on the Official Abstract and Certification
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permitted.
4. Active Internet or email connections as part of displaying or operating the project at ISEF.
5. Any changes, modifications, or additions to projects including any attempt to uncover, replenish or
return removed language or items after the approval by the Display & Safety Committee and the
Scientific Review Committee has been received is prohibited.
x a. Display & Safety inspections will include recording photographic evidence of the approved
Project Display and Project booth.
x b. Finalists who do not adhere to this signed agreement on the ISEF Project Set-up Approval
Form regarding this regulation may fail to qualify for competition. I/we understand that the
initial Display & Safety Inspection has been completed, but that additional reviews occur and
that I/we should check back regularly. I/we will vertically display this signed form at our project
at all times. I/we have not and will not store packing material under the booth. I/we further
understand that returning items that have been removed by the SRC or D&S and/or adding
items that are not permitted after final clearance are grounds for failing to qualify for
competition and/or forfeiture of all awards received.