

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
CERTIFICATE OF WAIVER OR AUTHORIZATION

ISSUED TO

**Alabama A&M University, Responsible Person: Yujian Fu
Waiver Number: 107W-2016-01447**

ADDRESS

**229 Knotting Pl
Madison, AL 35758**

This certificate is issued for the operations specifically described hereinafter. No person shall conduct any operation pursuant to the authority of this certificate except in accordance with the standard and special provisions contained in this certificate, and such other requirements of the Federal Aviation Regulations not specifically waived by this certificate.

OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED

Acting as a remote pilot in command (PIC) or visual observer (VO) in the operation of more than one small unmanned aircraft (sUA) at the same time. The area of operation is in the vicinity of the Lewis Crews stadium at the Alabama A&M University campus.

LIST OF WAIVED REGULATIONS BY SECTION AND TITLE

14 CFR § 107.35 Operation of multiple small unmanned aircraft

STANDARD PROVISIONS

1. A copy of the application made for this certificate shall be attached to and become a part hereof.
2. This certificate shall be presented for inspection upon the request of any authorized representative of the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, or of any State or municipal official charged with the duty of enforcing local laws or regulations.
3. The holder of this certificate shall be responsible for the strict observance of the terms and provisions contained herein.
4. This certificate is nontransferable.

NOTE—This certificate constitutes a waiver of those Federal rules or regulations specifically referred to above. It does not constitute a waiver of any State law or local ordinance.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Special Provisions Nos. 1 to 15, inclusive, are set forth on the attached pages.

This Certificate of Waiver is effective from March 15, 2017 to March 31, 2021, inclusive, and is subject to cancellation at any time upon notice by the Administrator or an authorized representative.

BY DIRECTION OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

General Aviation and Commercial Division, AFS-800

**SPECIAL PROVISIONS ISSUED TO
Alabama A&M University**

General.

The FAA's Flight Standards Service has reviewed your application to ensure compliance with the requirements of 14 CFR § 107.200. The Administrator finds that the proposed sUAS operation can be conducted safely under the provisions of this Certificate of Waiver (Waiver) as listed below, because you have established adequate mitigations for risks involved with operating your sUAS in the manner you described. Adherence to the provisions of this Waiver establishes the required level of safety within the national airspace system.

This Waiver may be canceled at any time by the Administrator, the person authorized to grant the Waiver, or the representative designated to monitor a specific operation. As a general rule, this Waiver may be canceled when it is no longer required, there is an abuse of its provisions, or when unforeseen safety factors develop. Failure to comply with any provision listed below is a violation of the terms of this Waiver and may serve as justification for cancellation.

List of Regulations Waived by Section and Title. The following regulations are waived:

14 CFR §107.35 Operation of multiple small unmanned aircraft is waived to the extent necessary to allow a person to act as a remote Pilot in Command (PIC) or visual observer (VO) in the operation of more than one unmanned aircraft at the same time.

Common Provisions. The Responsible Person is directly responsible for safety of operations conducted under this Waiver and will ensure the remote PIC, manipulator of the controls, and VO complies with all provisions of this Waiver.

1. The Responsible Person listed on the Waiver is responsible to the FAA for the safe conduct of the operations. Prior to conducting operations that are the subject of this Waiver, the responsible person:
 - a. Must ensure the remote PIC, manipulators of the controls, and VO are informed on the terms and provisions of this waiver and the strict observance of the terms and provisions herein;
 - b. Must ensure the remote PIC, manipulators of the controls, and VO are informed and familiar with part 107 regulations not waived; and
 - c. The above must be documented and must be presented for inspection upon request from the Administrator or an authorized representative.
2. This Waiver must not be combined with any other waiver(s), authorizations(s), or exemption(s) without specific authorization from the FAA;
3. The FAA has the authority to cancel or delay any or all flight operations if the safety of persons or property on the ground or in the air, are in jeopardy or there is a violation of the terms of this Waiver;
4. Operations under this Waiver are to be conducted in Class G airspace only unless specific airspace authorization or Waiver is received from the FAA in accordance with § 107.41;

5. A copy of this Waiver must be available during sUAS operations that are the subject of this Waiver;
6. The Responsible Person listed on this Waiver must maintain a current list of pilots by name and remote pilot certificate number used in the Waiver holder's operations. This list must be presented for inspection upon request from the Administrator or an authorized representative;
7. The Responsible Person listed on this Waiver must maintain a current list of small unmanned aircraft (sUA) by registration number(s) used in the Waiver holder's operations. This list must be presented for inspection upon request from the Administrator or an authorized representative;
8. All operations under this Waiver must use one or more VO;

Operation of Multiple sUAS Special Provisions. sUAS operations with multiple sUA may be conducted, provided:

9. Prior to conducting operations under this Waiver, operational area obstacles and boundaries must be identified so as to avoid collision with, or damage to property;
10. An individual system failure must not interfere with the operation of other sUA or cause incidents, accidents, or loss of control involving other sUA that are the subject of this Waiver;
11. As described in the waiver application, routes must be preplanned prior to flight and aircraft must be programmed to automatically follow the route. Flight planning must provide for route deconfliction to avoid propagation of faults affecting multiple systems;
12. As described in the waiver application, prior to conducting operations, the flight controller, geo-fence system encompassing the area and the associated flight control system capability for each aircraft, must operate properly;
13. As described in the waiver application, the operation is limited to four sUAS operating at the same time. The weight of each sUA, with payload, must not exceed 4 pounds, and the ground speed must not exceed 40 mph;
14. Not less than 24 hours prior to conducting operations that are the subject of this Waiver, a Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) must be filed. The NOTAM must include location, altitude, and/or operating area, time and nature of the activity, and number of sUA flying in the operating area; and
15. Operations conducted under this Waiver are limited to the vicinity of the Lewis Crews stadium at the Alabama A&M University campus, between Meridian Street and Memorial Parkway (east-west limit) and Chase Road and Industrial Drive (north-south limit).