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EXEMPTION DETERMINATION

Determination Date: 10/11/2022

Investigator:	Kaylyn Schiff
Type of Review:	Initial Study
Title of Study:	EXEMPT: The Liar's Dividend: Can Politicians Use Misinformation to Evade Accountability?
IRB Protocol ID:	2000033821
Submission ID:	2000033821
Documents:	• External Team Member Info.docx, Category: Other; • KJS Liar's Dividend Exemption Request Form.docx, Category: IRB Protocol; • KJS Liar's Dividend Faculty Advisor Agreement.docx, Category: Faculty Advisor/Chair Permission form; • Liar's Dividend Consent Form.docx, Category: Consent Form; • Liar's Dividend Study Approval and Exempt Review Letter.pdf, Category: External IRB Approval; • liar's dividend SUPPLEMENT_SafetyduringPandemic_FINAL_20210727.docx, Category: IRB Submission Form; • Liar's Dividend Survey Instrument - Belief Study 2022.docx, Category: Study questionnaires, measures, focus groups/interview questions; • Liar's Dividend Survey Instrument - Replication 2022.docx, Category: Study questionnaires, measures, focus groups/interview questions; • Lucid - IRB Methodology .pdf, Category: Recruitment Materials; • Qualtrics IRB FAQ.pdf, Category: Recruitment Materials;

- Approval extends to the activities of the Yale researcher only.
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- No approval of the attached documents is required.
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- The protocol does not require annual IRB review.

See the next page for important reminders.

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IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Exempt research does not require additional IRB oversight except in cases where the study is to be modified in a way that would change the applicability of the exempt status.

- Should you wish to modify the study in way that affects the applicability of the exemption determination, a new protocol must be submitted for the IRB review. See IRB Guidance document 100 GD 9: Guidance on Exemption from IRB Review for examples.

- Information that requires prompt reporting to the IRB must be done so within 5 days of the PI becoming aware of the event (see Policy 710: Reporting Unanticipated Problems Involving Risks to Subjects or Others, including Adverse Events). This includes potential serious noncompliance, continuing noncompliance, and unanticipated problems to subjects or others.

- In conducting this activity, you should refer to and follow the Investigator Manual (HRP-103) as applicable, which can be found in the IRB Library within the IRB system.

Please keep this letter with your copy of the protocol documents.