Deemed Export Control

Export control regulations are federal laws that prohibit the unlicensed export or potential export of certain controlled commodities or information for reasons of national security or protections of trade. Note: Work that will be published or otherwise released to the public is often exempt under the terms of fundamental research. To understand more about Export Control, please refer to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS) site [1], or contact the Yale Office of Corporate Contracts and Export Control Licensing [2].

All employers seeking H-1B status for employees must first answer questions regarding export control compliance, before a new H-1B application can be filed with the USCIS. Federal law also requires that any material change to the employment during the H-1B sponsorship period must be reported to OISS immediately, including salary, appointment title, work location, and Export Control issues.

The hiring department must complete the Export Control Form [3], and either submit the completed signed form directly back to OISS, or forward the form to the Office of Corporate Contracts and Export Licensing.

Sources:

[2] https://your.yale.edu/research-support/office-research-administration/export-controls
[3] https://yale.box.com/s/bx36549dpxa0ens0xdlm6s6i2gbfh3d7

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