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1003-53-1208      **Marius I Munteanu\*** (munteam@oneonta.edu), Department of Mathematics, Computer Science, and Statistics, SUNY College at Oneonta, Oneonta, NY 13820. *Riemannian Submersions of Compact Semisimple Lie Groups with Connected Totally Geodesic Fibers*. Preliminary report.

Let  $G$  be a semisimple Lie group equipped with a bi-invariant metric. We show that if  $\pi : G \rightarrow B$  is a Riemannian submersion with connected, totally geodesic fibers and if  $B$  is locally symmetric then  $\pi$  is equivalent to a quotient map  $G \rightarrow G/H$ , for some subgroup  $H$  of  $G$ . (Received October 04, 2004)