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Delegation of Authority—To Approve Certain Faculty Salaries Beyond the Regental Compensation Threshold

In May 2002, The Regents authorized the President to approve individual academic personnel salary actions that exceed the Regental compensation threshold, also known as the Indexed Compensation Level (ICL), whether upon initial appointment or by advancement to a salary above the threshold. The Regental threshold for the applicable faculty ladder ranks scales is adjusted when there is an adjustment made to the Indexed Compensation Level and/or an adjustment is made to the faculty ladder ranks scales.

For the 2013-14 academic year, the thresholds are:

- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Academic Year $295,000
- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Fiscal Year $342,000
- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Business/Economics/Engineering – Academic Year $323,200
- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Business/Economics/Engineering – Fiscal Year $374,800
- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – SFT – Veterinary Medicine – Fiscal Year $383,500
- Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Law School – Academic Year $414,000
- Non-Faculty Academics and Academic Personnel with Administrative Duties $295,000

Your authority allows you to approve above-threshold salaries in cases of faculty merit increases of 10 percent or less for those without administrative duties. These actions must be reported annually to The Regents.
Approval is required by the Provost and Executive Vice President for above-threshold salaries in cases of new faculty appointments, retention of faculty, and faculty merit increases greater than 10 percent for those without administrative duties. In addition, approval is also required by the Provost and Executive Vice President for non-faculty academics and academic personnel with administrative duties whose total compensation exceed the threshold of $295,000, regardless of discipline and appointment basis. All of these actions are also reported annually to The Regents.

Academic appointees who serve as Deans under the Academic Personnel program are compensated according to the Deans’ Salary Structure approved by The Regents in November 2009. Deans’ salaries exceeding the maximum approved for Deans’ Salary Band III ($504,000) require approval by The Regents. Deans’ compensation actions are reported separately in other biannual and annual reports to The Regents.

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