EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT – BUSINESS OPERATIONS

Delegation of Authority – University of California Health and Welfare Benefit Plans Administration

Standing Order of The Regents 100.4(a) states that

The President shall be the executive head of the University and shall have full authority and responsibility over the administration of all affairs and operations of the University, excluding only those activities which are the responsibility of the Secretary and Chief of Staff, Chief Investment Officer, General Counsel of The Regents, and Senior Vice President – Chief Compliance and Audit Officer. The President may delegate any of the duties of the office except service as an ex officio Regent.

As Executive Vice President – Business Operations, you are hereby delegated the following authorities with respect to the group health and welfare plans sponsored by the University of California ("Health and Welfare Plans"):

1. Promulgation of the Group Insurance Regulations and interpretations as are necessary or appropriate for the effective operation of such plans;

2. Amendment of the Health and Welfare Plans as necessary to satisfy the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code and related regulations and guidance to preserve any tax benefits;

3. Amendment of the Health and Welfare Plans as necessary to satisfy the requirements of applicable state law;

4. Execution on behalf of the University of all contracts and other documents for the provision of health and welfare benefits that represent periodic revisions to existing agreements and do not substantially change the authorized scope of the Health and Welfare Plans consistent with the scope of Standing Order 100.4(dd);

5. Interpretation of the eligibility terms and conditions of the Health and Welfare Plans;

6. Administration of the Health and Welfare Plans to the extent such duties have not been delegated or assigned to an insurer or a third party administrator.
This Delegation of Authority replaces those dated December 4, 1984 (DA 0831, DA 0832) from the President to the Senior Vice President – Administration.

This authority is effective immediately. You may redelegate any of the above authorities to a position at the Vice President level. Such redelegation shall be in writing with copies to the General Counsel and Vice President for Legal Affairs and the Universitywide Policy Office.

Mark G. Yudof
President

cc: Chancellors
    Members, President’s Cabinet
    Principal Officers of The Regents
    Universitywide Policy Office