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Confirmation of Active Delegations of Authority—Patent Policy and Standing Order 100.4(mm)

On May 1, 2007, the newly created position of Executive Vice President - Business Operations (EVP – Business Operations) assumed responsibility for implementation of the University Patent Policy and related responsibilities formerly assigned to the Senior Vice President – Business and Finance, a position that was eliminated in the Office of the President. Responsibilities that were transferred to the EVP – Business Operations included authorities delegated under DA 1091 to execute documents necessary for the administration of intellectual property. Effective August 13, 2007, the President transferred responsibility for implementation of the University Patent Policy to the Provost and Executive Vice President – Academic and Health Affairs (Provost and EVP) in conjunction with transfer of overall responsibility for the University's technology transfer program. In addition, effective August 13, 2007, in DA 2201 the President delegated to the Provost and EVP authority to execute documents necessary for the administration of intellectual property under Regents Standing Order 100.4(mm), specifically superseding the July 29, 1993 delegation (DA 1091) to the Senior Vice President – Business and Finance on this same subject.

Under standard practices of the University, a transfer of authority from one organizational unit to another necessarily includes the transfer of active delegations and redelegations previously issued under such authority until they are changed by new delegations or redelegations. While DA 2201 superseded the authority granted under DA 1091, there was no intent to terminate redelegations of authority issued under DA1091 prior to DA 2201. Consequently, redelegations of authority issued under DA 1091 remain in full force and effect within my responsibility for administration and reporting functions.

By this memorandum, I am confirming that authority under the University Patent Policy and Regents Standing Order 100.4(mm) as delegated to the Executive Director – Research Administration and Technology Transfer, including any redelegations of that authority, stands uninterrupted in full force and effect until further notice.

Sincerely,

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