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UCM DA 181

SEPTEMBER 7, 2018

VICE CHANCELLOR AND CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER

RE: Delegation of Authority – Authorization to Execute Documents Materially Consistent with the Project Agreement and Commercial Terms for the 2020 Project, Merced Campus (Presidential DA 2609)

The November 2015 Regents' item (J2) for the Merced 2020 Project includes the following approved action:

The President, in consultation with the General Counsel, be authorized to approve and execute the Project Agreement materially consistent with the commercial terms approved by the Regents, and execute all documents necessary to implement the Project Agreement and the 2020 Project.

On September 6, 2016, the President re-delegated authority to the Chancellor-UC Merced through Presidential Delegation of Authority (DA) 2609. Authority to implement changes to the Project are specifically constrained by the scope approved by The Regents at their July 2016 meeting (Item J1).

Effective immediately, as Chancellor and pursuant to the authority re-delegated to me by the President, I delegate the following to you:

- Authority to perform as the Owners' Authorized Representative for the UC Merced 2020 Project. Owner's Representative, as defined in the Project Agreement, has the authority to represent and bind the University, subject to approval by the Chancellor. This authority is restricted to execution of documents subject to the following requirements:
 - All proposed changes to the Project Agreement require Chancellor's approval
 - Proposed changes must be properly vetted through the established internal control process with appropriate approvals
- You **may not** re-delegate this authority.
- Source of authority: [Presidential DA 2609](#)

This delegation supersedes the associated delegation in UC Merced DA 147.

Sincerely,

Dorothy Leland
Chancellor

cc: Director Of Policy and Accountability, Sheryl Ireland