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Vice Chancellors and Deans,

We have just been notified by the Office of State Budget and Management (OSBM) that they will not accept any further exception requests for spending in Fiscal Year 2008-09 with the exception of emergency personnel actions. Emergency personnel requests should continue to be submitted using the personnel exception request form available on the Budget Central website.

The uncertainty of the appropriation for 2009-10, the unknown conditions that will be imposed on any Continuing Budget Resolution passed by the General Assembly late this month, and the potential for further allotment restrictions by the Governor even after the Appropriation Bill has been passed, prevent any loosening of spending guidelines at this time.

We realize these budgetary restrictions greatly hinder the execution of your responsibilities. Thank you for your continued cooperation and understanding.

Charles Leffler Warwick Arden

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