PRINCIPLES GOVERNING
RE-DELEGATION OF PRESIDENTIAL AUTHORITY

Delegations of authority by the President to officials directly reporting to him may, but need not, be re-delegated by those officials to University officials reporting to them. Re-delegations to these subordinate officials shall be consistent with the following limitations and conditions:

1. Re-delegated authority must be exercised consistent with all applicable laws and University policies, including specifically the Regents' Policy on Reservations and Delegations of Authority, the Regents' Policy on Legal Review of Contracts, and the President's Delegations of Authority.

2. Officials reporting directly to the President remain accountable at all times for the exercise of any authority they choose to re-delegate to others. Officials reporting directly to the President have full discretion to reserve to themselves any authority assigned to them by the President.

3. Authority relating to transactions that require specific approval of the Board of Regents may not be re-delegated.

4. Authority relating to transactions that have potentially significant University-wide policy implications, potentially significant University-wide budget implications, or potentially significant public impact, may not be re-delegated.

5. Authority relating to transactions that require a substantive change in a University policy may not be re-delegated.

6. Authority relating to transactions that raise significant conflict of interest issues may not be re-delegated.

7. Authority relating to transactions that, taken as a whole, involve purchase of goods or services in excess of $50,000 may not be re-delegated below the unit or department head or director, as specified by the delegator. Transactions that, taken as a whole, involve purchase of professional services in excess of $50,000 may not be re-delegated below the unit or department head or director, as specified by the delegator.