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Re: Proposed Revisions to the Statutes and The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedures – to change throughout both documents “Vice President/Chancellor at the (Urbana-Champaign, Chicago, or Springfield) Campus” to “Chancellor at the (Urbana-Champaign, Chicago, or Springfield) Campus/Vice President” (USC ST-78/GR-47)

Dear Colleagues:

In November 2010, the Board of Trustees changed the titles of the chancellors. The President and the Board of Trustees now proposes revisions to the Statutes and The General Rules that would reverse the order of the titles. “Vice President/Chancellor at the (Urbana-Champaign, Chicago, or Springfield) Campus” would become “Chancellor at the (Urbana-Champaign, Chicago, or Springfield) Campus/Vice President”. This is to signify that each chancellor has primary responsibility for the campus while also serving as a member of the University of Illinois leadership team.

I ask that you present the proposed revisions to your respective senates as quickly as possible and report back before the January 17 USC meeting. The Board wishes to act on this item at its meeting of January 24.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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