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Re: Issuance of Revised Academic Personnel Manual (APM) Section 715, Leaves of Absence/Family and Medical Leave (APM - 715), and Section 760, Family Accommodations for Childbearing and Childrearing (APM - 760)

Dear Colleagues:

I am formally transmitting revised Academic Personnel Manual (APM) Sections 715, Leaves of Absence/Family and Medical Leave (APM - 715) and 760, Family Accommodations for Childbearing and Childrearing (APM - 760). The revised policies, effective January 1, 2023, can be found online on the Academic Personnel and Programs website.

The revisions to these policies are substantive changes to reflect an increase in the percentage of income replacement provided by the Pay for Family Care and Bonding (PFCB) pay option offered to eligible employees to apply to qualifying leaves. Approved by the Council of Chancellors on April 6, 2022, PFCB will provide a pay option of eight weeks of income replacement calculated at 100% of eligible earnings to apply to qualifying leaves. For monthly paid employees, PFCB income replacement will increase beginning with the pay period that starts on Jan. 1, 2023. For biweekly paid employees, PFCB income replacement will increase beginning with the pay period that starts on Dec. 25, 2022. Revisions were made to APM - 715 and APM - 760 in order to reflect the increase in the PFCB income replacement calculation from 70% to 100% of eligible earnings, with an effective date of January 1, 2023. All other aspects of these policies will remain the same.

I wish to thank those involved in the consultation of the technical revisions to this important APM policy.

Sincerely,

Michael T. Brown, Ph.D.

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cc: President Drake

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