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April 18, 1994

Donald L. DeVries, Jr., Esq. Chairman Emergency Medical Services Board 636 West Lombard Street Baltimore, Maryland 21201-1528

Dear Mr. DeVries:

Thank you for your letter of April 7 which acknowledged the Regents' recent reconsideration of tuition remission benefits for former MIEMSS employees. For the record, this is the procedure that was followed and the action that was taken. On Wednesday, March 23, 1994, the Board of Regents, voting via a telephone poll, rescinded its prior action concerning tuition remission benefits for those EMS employees who had been employees of MIEMSS and approved the following resolution.

That the Board of Regents approve for former MIEMSS employees transferred on July 1, 1993, to the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) branch of the State employment system by HB 1222 and who remain employees of this agency, the continuation of tuition remission benefits for these employees, their spouses and/or dependents at whatever level the University System continues to support throughout the period of their employment with EMS.

Since employees who were hired at different times are entitled to different levels of tuition remission benefits, by copy of this letter I ask that Chancellor Langenberg, Interim President Ryan and their respective staffs work with Dr. Alcorta and his staff to produce a certified list of those EMS employees who were transferred from MIEMSS by HB 1222, together with a certification of each employee's specific benefit level. Upon completion of this list I ask that each affected EMS employee be notified in writing of exactly the tuition remission benefit that employee is entitled to receive, and that a copy of each letter be filed with the <u>UMAB Office</u> of Human Resources so that no confusion may result in the future when employees attempt to access these benefits.

Sincerely,

George V. McGowar

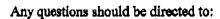
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Dear Chancellor Langenberg,

As per Board of Regents' Chairman George V. McGowan's April 18, 1994 letter to Donald L. DeVries, Jr., Chairman of the EMS Board, I am providing to you and interim President Ryan a list of current employees who were on staff as of July 1, 1993, when HB 1222 was implemented. This list, which includes names, social security numbers and University start dates, should be used in determining eligibility for the tuition remission benefit.

We will be pleased to meet with your staff to finalize the list and complete the other actions requested by Mr. McGowan.

Sincerely,

John M. Murphy Administrative Director

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June 7, 1994

Donald L. DeVries, Jr., Esq. Chairman Emergency Medical Services Board 636 W. Lombard Street Baltimore, MD 21201-1528

Dear Dr. DeVries:

This is in response to your May 16, 1994, letter concerning tuition remission benefits for MIEMSS employees who are being transferred to State employment as a result of HB 1222.

Let me assure you that it is the intent of the Regents to continue such benefits for these employees at the same level as they would have been entitled had they not been so transferred. Based on each employee's individual circumstances and in conformance with the provisions and restrictions of the Regents' policies on tuition remission, this may include the continuation of benefits to retired employees, their spouses and dependents, and/or the provision of benefits to spouses and dependents of deceased employees.

Sincerely,

George V. McGdwan

Chairman

University of Maryland Board of Regents