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To: Jose Wudka, Chair, Riverside Division

From: John S. Levin, Chair, Executive Committee, Graduate School of Education

Subject: Draft guidelines for pilot program to accept equity for access to university facilities or services (undated, 2015)

The Graduate School of Education Executive Committee reviewed the document "Guidelines on accepting and managing equity in return for access to university facilities and/or services." Committee members discussed the document, and concern was raised about the assumptions behind the proposal—such as whether or not university employees who work with or for a private company can be shielded from conflict of interest. The question raised was: if there is a profit motive for a UC employee can decisions of that employee that pertain to the university be made separate from the potential for personal profit?

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