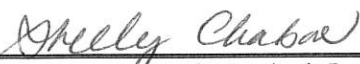



Post-Transition Procedures for Requesting Exceptions to the PI Policy

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1. A process has been created in section 4.3 of the Policy whereby Deans, Directors or Division Heads can apply on an employees' behalf to be assigned status of PI-eligible for an employee who is not automatically eligible for assignment as PI/PD/CoI, and who is not in the group of grandfathered employees.
2. Deans/Supervisors may request a one-time exception or an indefinite exception, upon execution of this MOA.
3. All requests for assignment of PI-eligible status will be reviewed on a case by case basis and a decision will be rendered by the Associate Vice President (AVP) in Research and Graduate Studies.
4. The AVP decision should be rendered within 15 working days of receipt of the application. In the event this timeline is not feasible, the AVP will notify the employee and AAUP with the reasons needed for a timeline extension.
5. Employees may appeal a negative decision by the AVP to the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies (VPRGS). This appeal is not considered a replacement for a grievance on procedural defects, as appropriate.
6. The decision of the VPRGS is final, and reconsiderations will not be accepted.

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