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## APPOINT INTERIM CHANCELLOR, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO, AND VICE PRESIDENT, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SYSTEM

**Action:** Appoint Interim Chancellor and Vice President

**Funding:** State Appropriated Funds

 As the President of the University of Illinois System, I recommend the appointment of Javier Reyes, Ph.D., presently Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Illinois Chicago, to serve as Interim Chancellor, University of Illinois Chicago, and Vice President, University of Illinois System beginning July 1, 2022. This appointment will be on a non-tenured, twelve-month service basis, on 100 percent time, at an annual salary of $490,000, and an administrative increment of $60,000, non-tenured, on a twelve-month service basis, on zero percent time, for a total annual salary of $550,000, effective June 1, 2022. To effectuate a smooth transition and avoid business interruption during the period of June 1 to June 30, when outgoing Chancellor Amiridis may wish to utilize benefit time or be otherwise unavailable, Dr. Reyes will serve as Interim Chancellor-Designate. As Interim Chancellor-Designate, Dr. Reyes will be responsible for the duties usually carried out by the Chancellor in the event Chancellor Amiridis is unavailable. Effective July 1, Dr. Reyes will assume the title of Interim Chancellor, until such time as a new Chancellor is named.

 As Interim Chancellor, under my direction, Dr. Reyes shall perform such duties as may be delegated and assigned by me, consistent with the University *Statutes, The General Rules* and actions of the Board of Trustees. He succeeds Michael Amiridis who has resigned effective July 1, 2022.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

I seek your approval.

JAVIER REYES

Education

# Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores Monterrey, Campus Estado de Mexico, B.A., 1998

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, Ph.D., 2003

Professional and Other Experience

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, 2012-16, Vice Provost for Distance Education, Global Campus; 2015-16, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies and Executive Education, Sam M. Walton College of Business; 2014-16, Professor, Department of Economics; 2010-15, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies; 2009-12, Director of the Sam M. Walton College of Business Honors Program

West Virginia University, Morgantown, West Virginia, 2016-18, Milan Puskar Dean, John Chambers College of Business and Economics; 2016-21, Professor, Department of Economics; 2018-21, Vice President for Start-Up West Virginia

University of Illinois Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 2021-date, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs