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# EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT AND AUDIT COMMITTEE July 20, 2006

SUBJECT: VACANT ASSISTANT BOARD SECRETARY POSITION

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Consider granting authority to fill the vacant Assistant Board Secretary position.

#### **ISSUE**

The selection process for the position of Assistant Board Secretary began in April of this year. Candidates were tested and interviewed in May. An offer was made, and the successful candidate accepted the offer and gave notice to his current employer by June 7, 2006.

### **DISCUSSION**

During board discussions relative to budget cuts it was decided that a hiring freeze would be implemented for all non-essential positions. Essential positions, and those for which offers had already been made, would be exempt.

#### **NEXT STEPS**

In light of the fact that the candidate accepted the job offer prior to Board action on June 22, 2006 to freeze the vacancy, authority to proceed to fill the position is hereby requested.

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