Date: January 20, 1988

To: Presidents

From: W. Ann Reynolds
Chancellor

Subject: Denial or Revocation of Retired Peace Officer’s Concealed Weapon Endorsement Privilege — Delegation of Authority — Executive Order No. 517

I am transmitting to you a copy of Executive Order No. 517, which delegates authority to you to deny or revoke, for good cause, a retired CSU Peace Officer’s privilege to carry a concealed weapon.

The authority for retired peace officers to carry concealed weapons is found in the California Penal Code, Section 12027. Section 12027 gives honorably retired peace officers the authority to carry a weapon, subject to the proviso that:

The agency from which a peace officer is honorably retired may, upon initial retirement of the peace officer, or at any time subsequent thereto, deny or revoke, for good cause, the retired officer’s privilege to carry a weapon as provided in this subdivision. — California Penal Code, Section 12027(a).

You should note that only the agency, not the chief, has the authority to deny or revoke the officer’s statutory privilege under Section 12027. Your Director of Public Safety is in the best position to know whether a particular retired officer should, for some reason, be denied the privilege, and should prepare a recommendation for your action pursuant to the attached delegation.

Chapter III, Section 1, of the Standing Orders of the Board of Trustees delegates authority to the Chancellor sufficient to include this action. The attached Executive Order No. 517 further delegates this authority to the campus Presidents.

In accordance with policy of The California State University, the campus President has the responsibility for implementing Executive Orders where applicable and for maintaining the campus repository and index for all Executive Orders.

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Executive Order No. 517

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Effective Date: January 20, 1988

Supersedes: No Previous Executive Order

This Executive Order is issued pursuant to Sections 1, 2, and 4(e) of Chapter III of the Standing Orders of the Board of Trustees of The California State University and by virtue of the California Penal Code, Section 12027(a).

1. Authority is hereby delegated to each President of a campus of The California State University to deny or revoke, for good cause, a retired California State University Peace Officer’s privilege to carry a concealed weapon as provided in the California Penal Code, Section 12027(a), based upon the recommendation of the campus Director of Public Safety.

2. In the case of an appeal to reverse a decision to deny or revoke the Peace Officer’s privilege to carry a concealed weapon, application for a hearing may be made by the Officer, in writing, to the Vice Chancellor, Business Affairs, who is, by virtue of this Executive Order, delegated the authority to hear the appeal and render a final decision.

W. Ann Reynolds, Chancellor

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