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To: Human Resources Directors  
Benefits Officers

From: Cathy Robinson, Assistant Vice Chancellor  
Human Resources Administration

Subject: CSU Contribution Rates for CalPERS Retirement Coverage

At its May board meeting, the California Public Employees’ Retirement System (CalPERS) set the employer contribution retirement rates for Fiscal Year 2004/05. Effective July 1, 2004, the CSU retirement contribution rates for employees covered by the following CalPERS Member Categories will be:

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<th>Member Category</th>
<th>CSU Employee Group</th>
<th>Rate for FY 04/05</th>
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<tr>
<td>State Peace Officer/Firefighter</td>
<td>Unit 8 (Payroll Codes 51 and 52)</td>
<td>31.841%*</td>
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<td>State Peace Officer/Firefighter</td>
<td>MPP Directors and Lieutenants of Public Safety and other Unit 9 Firefighter Classifications (Payroll Codes 53 and 54)</td>
<td>23.841%</td>
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<tr>
<td>State Miscellaneous – Tier 1</td>
<td>All Other CSU Employees (Payroll Codes 00, 08, and 20)</td>
<td>17.022%</td>
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*Includes 8% employee contribution rate paid by CSU

If you have any questions, please contact Felice Bakre at (562) 951-4410. This technical letter is also available on the Human Resources Administration’s Web site at: http://www.calstate.edu/HRAdm/memos.shtml.

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