THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Change Name of Department

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I wish to request a renaming of the Department of Medical Education to the Department of Learning Health Sciences. The renaming of the Department of Medical Education reflects a more comprehensive description of the ongoing research, education and programs conducted within the department.

Direct responsibility for the oversight of these faculty members will continue to reside with the Chair of the Department of Learning Health Sciences in accordance with Article II, Section 3 of the Medical School Bylaws.

Recommended by:

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Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

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