

*Regents Communication***ACTION REQUEST****Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement****Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir**

Thomas M. Annesley, Ph.D., professor of pathology, Medical School, will retire from active faculty status on December 31, 2012.

Professor Annesley received his B.A. degree from Gustavus Adolphus College in 1975 and his Ph.D. degree from Rice University in 1979. From 1979-81, he completed postdoctoral training in clinical chemistry at the Mayo Clinic. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1981 and was promoted to associate professor in 1988, and professor in 1995.

Within the Department of Pathology, Professor Annesley has served in several administrative roles, including associate director of the Clinical Biochemistry Laboratories (1981-89), director of the Drug Analysis and Toxicology Laboratory (1984-96), and head of the Division of Clinical Chemistry Laboratories (1989-91). From 1999-2001, he was a scientist in residence at Pfizer Global Research. Professor Annesley has authored over 100 publications in peer-reviewed journals, two books, nine book chapters, and 56 abstracts, and has served on the editorial boards of *Clinical Biochemistry*, *Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine*, *Therapeutic Drug Monitoring*, and *Clinical Chemistry*. He has held leadership positions in the Association for Clinical Chemistry, the International Association of Therapeutic Drug Monitoring and Clinical Toxicology, and the National Academy of Clinical Biochemistry. Among the many awards he has received for his accomplishments in the field of clinical chemistry are the Alvin Dubin Award for Outstanding Contributions to the Profession (2007), a Presidential Citation from the National Academy of Clinical Biochemistry (2008), and the Outstanding Speaker Award from the American Association for Clinical Chemistry (2008, 2010, and 2011).

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Thomas M. Annesley professor emeritus of pathology**.

Requested by:**Sally J. Churchill, J.D.****Vice President and Secretary of the University****December 2012**