MEMORANDUM

TO: Susanna Fessler, Senate Chair

FROM: George M. Philip, President

DATE: June 13, 2012

SUBJECT: Senate Legislation

I am pleased to approve the following Senate Bills:

- Senate Bill 1112-10: Creation of Urban Studies and Planning Major
- Senate Bill 1112-12: 2011 Curriculum Revisions
- Senate Bill 1112-15: Revisions of the General Education Program
- Senate Bill 1112-17: Revisions to INF Major
- Senate Bill 1112-18: Revisions to Policy on Double Majoring
- Senate Bill 1112-19: Revisions to Biology B.S. Program
- Senate Bill 1112-20: Policy Change in Internships (UNI 390) & Creation of Sophomore Level Internship (UNI 290)
- Senate Bill 1112-21: Curriculum Changes in Department of Music
- Senate Bill 1112-22: Policy & Procedures on Misconduct in Research and Scholarship
- Senate Bill 1112-23: Degree Requirements for Major in Accounting
- Senate Bill 1112-24: Proposed Creation of Globalization Studies Minor
- Senate Bill 1112-25: Changes to Chemistry Honors B.S. Program
- Senate Bill 1112-27: Creation of Journalism Cognate in INF Minor
- Senate Bill 1112-29: Revision of Major in Women's Studies

With respect to Senate Bill 1112-22: Policy and Procedures on Misconduct in Research and Scholarship, I would like to thank the University Senate for endorsing the University's Policy and Procedures on Misconduct in Research and Scholarship, which I approved on March 9th. The official policy can be found on the Division for Research's website at: www.albany.edu/research/MisconductPolicyMarch2012.pdf. I would again like to thank the Committee on Ethics in Research and Scholarship (CERS) for their invaluable contributions and advice in the development of this policy.

Approved: George M. Philip, President

Date: 6/13/12