

March 27, 2008

MEMORANDUM

TO: Deans, Directors and Department Heads

FROM: Larry A. Nielsen
Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor

SUBJECT: Copyright Web Resource

I would like to take this opportunity to make you aware of a new web resource available to your faculty, staff, and students designed to guide you through the maze of copyright issues and questions that arise daily on this campus. Our Special Assistant to the Provost for Copyright Administration, Peggy Hoon, has created a web site devoted entirely to copyright and to providing the information, tools, and answers that should assist everyone in their teaching, research, and service endeavors here at NC State. Peggy has taken her decade of experience in listening to and responding to our copyright issues and designed a web site geared to our needs. This site is accessible from the menu on the left of the Provost's home page under "Copyright Administration" with the url <http://provost.ncsu.edu/copyright>.

As you know, copyright is a critical issue on every university campus. It need not be ignored or feared but rather understood and utilized to our advantage. Only then will we be optimally positioned to create, innovate, excel and realize the potential of our digital future.

I urge you to take advantage of this resource as well as consider inviting Peggy to your areas for talks, workshops, or individual consultation.

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cc: James D. Martin, Chair of the Faculty