SAAP 07-05 Rationale

The Division of Academic Affairs requests to remove the following language from the Emerit Status Policy found in section 3 of the Procedure for Granting Emerit Status to Faculty and section 2 of the Procedure for Granting Emerit Status to Academic and University Staff:

... with the start of the budget year ...

We would like to remove this language from the policy because there is no financial or budgetary aspect to emerit status and delaying commencement of emerit status until the subsequent budget year unnecessarily interferes with the employee's smooth transition into retirement.