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Guidance on pay and leave reporting for those who participated in the UAW strike

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Dear UAW Members,

We apologize for writing at the end of the day on a Friday before a three-day weekend. We have, however, been instructed by the UC Office of the President (UCOP) to send out communications today, January 13th, reflecting guidance we received this morning from UCOP. This guidance concerns the handling of pay and leave reporting related to the recent [UAW strike](#).

Here is a [link to the self-attestation form](#). Per UCOP guidance, attestation forms for UAW-represented workers are to be returned by Friday, January 20th. We are working to set up an online solution to automate the capturing and processing of this information; we will send the electronic version early next week should you wish to file the attestation form electronically. If you do not wish to wait, you may complete a printed-out version of the form, sign it, and return it as an email attachment to StrikeAttestation2023@berkeley.edu.

The guidance that we have received is meant to ensure that departments and units across campus are following the same protocols and that the University is meeting its legal obligations and responsibilities in our management of various funds. As stated in the guidance, the University has a responsibility to align compensation with work effort provided to the institution, consistent with the award of federal grant funds and the allocation of state funds committed to the University as a public trust.

We will share detailed information with you next week and, in the interim, please be aware that we have established a [post-strike recovery website](#) to keep you updated regarding our efforts on these and other post-strike related matters. Please use that mechanism to ask questions and we will provide answers as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your patience and diligence as we continue to work through these matters.

Sincerely,
Eugene Whitlock
Chief People & Culture Officer

This message was sent to all UAW-represented employees.

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