

Minister of Advanced Education, Skills and Immigration

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Dr. Michael Benarroch President and Vice-Chancellor University of Manitoba 202 Administration Building Winnipeg MB R3T 2N2

Dear Dr. Benarroch,

As Minister of Manitoba Advanced Education, Skills and Immigration, it gives me great pleasure to extend my sincerest congratulations on your appointment as the 12th President and Vice-Chancellor of the University of Manitoba.

It is a privilege to have a leader with such extensive knowledge and background to serve as the President and Vice-Chancellor of the University of Manitoba. Your leadership in the post-secondary system, experience in fostering reconciliation, and creating meaningful partnerships with stakeholders, will enhance and strengthen the academic, cultural and economic community in Manitoba. We look forward to continuing our partnership with the University to create new opportunities that benefit students, and support Manitoba's social and economic wellbeing.

On behalf of the department of Manitoba Advanced Education, Skills and Immigration, the Premier and my colleagues at the Manitoba Legislature, please accept our congratulations on your appointment and best wishes for what is sure to be a lengthy and productive tenure at the University of Manitoba.

Sincerely,

Honourable Jon Reyes

c. Eric Charron, Deputy Minister, Advanced Education Skills and Immigration