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Subject: US Department of Education Releases New Title IX Regulations

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To our ETSU Community,

The federal government has released new regulations regarding Title IX, the law that prohibits sex-based discrimination and harassment at schools, colleges, and universities. The ETSU Office of Compliance has been anticipating these new guidelines since last year.

Now the new regulations are here, and the real work begins: the work of understanding them, explaining them, and implementing them. In the midst of changing laws and regulations, we are committed to ensuring that all of our Title IX actions are based in respect, sensitivity, and dignity for all of our students, faculty, and staff members.

The new regulations go into effect in August 2020. Between now and then, our Title IX Team here on campus will make sure that our policies and procedures align with the new federal regulations, along with Tennessee state laws, court decisions, and our values as a community. In the meantime, please contact me with any questions, ideas, or concerns.

Sincerely,

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