



*Sent via email*

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Chancellor Marcelo Suárez-Orozco  
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Re: Cease and desist changes to the Space Use and Reservation Policy

Dear Chancellor Suárez-Orozco,

On behalf of the Faculty Staff Union, we hereby demand that the University of Massachusetts Boston cease and desist implementation of the recent changes directed by Kathleen Kirleis, Vice Chancellor Finance & Administration of the Space Use & Reservation Policies. This change is an intrusion on our labor management relationship, and we demand that the University meet and bargain over said changes to this policy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Maria Hegbloom', is written over a light blue rectangular background.

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