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Ms. Cynthia A. Baldwin
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Dear Ms. Baldwin:

On behalf of President Emmert, I write to respond to your letter of December 12, 2011. The NCAA appreciates the cooperation of the University and the Special Investigative Counsel to the Special Investigations Task Force established by the Pennsylvania State University Board of Trustees.

We recognize the importance, confidentiality and independence of the work of Judge Freeh and his team and value the opportunity to gain appropriate insight into that process and its results as it relates to the areas of interest expressed in our November 17 letter. As Dr. Emmert has pledged, I will continue to work with you, President Erickson and Judge Freeh during his ongoing investigation. Once the work of the Special Investigations Task Force is complete, we will be better able to determine the substance and the timeline for your responding to the questions we have posed to Penn State.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Donald M. Remy".

Donald M. Remy
Executive Vice President and General Counsel

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cc: President Mark Emmert

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