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Dear Colleagues, yesterday I circulated an e-mail about funding from the tobacco settlement through the legacy foundation. It appears that UC faculty cannot accept this funding. Please see below. Sorry for any confusion I may have created.

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Dr. Gasson,
Linda Lee asked me to follow up today, in her absence, with the director of the UCOP Research Administration on the question you raised yesterday. I have learned that the Vice Chancellors for Research and the Vice Provost for Research of the UC system have reviewed the conditions of awards from the Legacy Foundation and have determined that we cannot accept such conditions.

The specific issue of concern is the Foundation requirement that a recipient's department must report to the Foundation any tobacco or tobacco-related funding it has received (by any PI) and if there is any such funding, the Foundation will terminate its award. The Vice Chancellors and Vice Provost have agreed they cannot allow one funding entity to determine what funding sources are acceptable for other PI's to use.

Since the Legacy Foundation will not change it's restrictions, the University is unable to accept funding from it.

I believe this addresses your question. Thank you for your patience while we gathered the information.

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