

MICHIGAN STATE
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April 3, 2012

MEMORANDUM

To: Trustee Policy Committee
From: Kim A. Wilcox, Provost *KAW*
Re: Notice of Intent to Negotiate a Contract with *VerdeTurbo, Inc.*

Pursuant to State law, the Chair of the Policy Committee is requested to give public notice to the full Board of the University's intent to negotiate contracts with *VerdeTurbo, Inc.*, a Delaware corporation based in Lansing, Michigan.

Dr. Norbert H. Mueller, an Associate Professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, and his family own or have options to buy an ownership interest of more than 1% of the company. Dr. Mueller is also an officer of *VerdeTurbo, Inc.*

As contract negotiations progress, more detailed information about the proposed contracts with *VerdeTurbo, Inc.* will be provided to the Committee for its review at future meetings in accordance with State law.



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