THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Louis G. D'Alecy, D.M.D., Ph.D., professor of molecular and integrative physiology in the Medical School, will retire from active faculty status on December 14, 2016.

Professor D'Alecy received his D.M.D. (1966) from the New Jersey College of Medicine and Dentistry and his Ph.D. (1971) from the University of Pennsylvania. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1973, and was promoted to associate professor in 1977, and professor in 1983. He held an additional appointment in the Department of Surgery from 1985-2006.

Professor D'Alecy is a leader in the field of cardiovascular physiology and medicine. His work sought to improve our understanding of how blood vessels and blood flow are controlled in heath and disease. His most recent research explored the naturally occurring chemicals that appear to damage the ability of blood vessels to dilate and deliver adequate blood to working tissues and the ability or inability of the body to adapt to inadequate oxygen. He authored numerous articles in the leading peer-reviewed journals, has a notable record of successfully securing research funding, and was a frequent invited speaker at national symposia. An enthusiastic teacher and dedicated mentor, Professor D'Alecy played an instrumental role in the training and development of a generation of undergraduate students, graduate students, and post-Professor D'Alecy was actively involved in the Advisory Committee on doctoral fellows. Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure; the Basic Science Academic Review Board; the University Senate Assembly; and the Senate Advisory Committee on University Affairs He received numerous awards, including the Kaiser Permanente Award for Excellence in Preclinical Teaching (2001), SACUA's Distinguished Faculty Governance Award (2004), and the Medical School's Lifetime Achievement Award in Medical Education (2014).

The Regents now salute this distinguished teacher and scholar for his dedicated service by naming Louis G. D'Alecy, professor emeritus of molecular and integrative physiology.

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