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Dear Academy Members,

The Academy is pleased to share with you that the most recent Executive Order issued by President Trump on Monday, January 27, that paused all federal grants and loans – this includes grants issued by the NIH - has been completely rescinded. The Office of Management and Budget memo revoking the order is linked here. Based on the very brief memo, the rescission applies to all programs affected by the broad, far-reaching Order issued on Monday evening.

How We Got Here

Since the January 27 memo was made public, members of Congress, organizations like the Academy, States and Counties across the country, universities and research institutions, and the Press put pressure on the Administration to revoke this harmful order. Late Tuesday, January 28, a Federal Judge issued a temporary stay on the Order. Today, OMB announced its decision to fully revoke the Order.

While this is good news, this Administration has made it a priority to end grants that research or fund what they consider part of the "woke" agenda. The Academy will continue to share updates if any new orders are issued that affect the imaging and radiology research community.

If you have questions pertaining to this or any other issue, please reach out to me at lmarquis@acadrad.org.

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