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DR. SHEILA MEGLEY, R.S.M., APPOINTED PROVOST AT SALVE REGINA

Sister Lucille McKillop, R.S.M., president of Salve Regina The Newport College, is pleased to announce the appointment of
Dr. Sheila Megley, R.S.M., as College provost.

As provost, Dr. Megley will serve as the vice president authorized to officiate over all College business in the absence of the president. Sister Sheila Megley will retain her title as vice president/academic dean, a position she has held since 1978.

In her capacity as vice president/academic dean, Dr. Megley continues to be responsible for curriculum and instruction, faculty

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development, and all student service areas. She has also coordinated the self-evaluation process for the College's ongoing accreditations of its Nursing Program, Teacher Education Program, Special Education Program, and, most recently, the 1980 Institutional Re-evaluation Visit by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.

In addition to her College-related duties, Sister Sheila Megley currently chairs the executive board of the Mercy Higher Education Colloquium (a representative group of 19 colleges across the United States sponsored by the Religious Sisters of Mercy); has served as chairperson of the Equal Education Opportunity Task Force for Rhode Island (by appointment of the Governor); has served on committees for the study of women in higher education of the American Council on Education; has served as chairperson of programs for the Association of Deans of Private Colleges in Rhode Island; and has served on evaluation teams of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.

Dr. Megley joined the Salve Regina College community in 1974 as dean of students. She holds a Ph.D. in English from the University of Nebraska, a master of arts degree in English from the University of Chicago, a master of arts degree in theology from St. Xavier College and a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Rosary College. Her experience prior to coming to Salve Regina - The Newport College includes teaching at the grade school, high school and college levels, as well as administrative experience at the college level.