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The decision to issue this notice was taken by university Vice Chancellor Leif Svensson who also wrote it in collaboration with the Disciplinary Board at the University of Gävle, October 2007.