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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Personnel Cabinet Employees Agency Heads
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FROM: Nikki R. Jackson, Secretary 

DATE: July 1, 2008

SUBJECT: Personnel Cabinet Launches New Website

Today, July 1st, the Personnel Cabinet has launched its new, customer-friendly website. The Cabinet based the new website design on feedback from a website survey made available to both state and non-state employees from May-July. We also connected with our valuable stakeholders and internal content owners to assure that we had a holistic view of our website's "opportunities". Most reviewers indicated that the overwhelming issue with our website was the difficulty in finding data and information. Based on these responses, not only have we updated the aesthetic view of the site, but much of the content has been revised as well. One major update is the addition of two navigation bars, one at the top and one at the left to assist navigation.

The top navigation bar provides the user with the option of selecting the category most relevant to his or her status or area of interest: Job Seekers, State Employees, Management, HR Administrators, Retirees, Veterans, and Governor's Employee Advisory Council (GEAC) which allows the user to more quickly find information pertaining specifically to policies and topics which are important to them.

We have also updated the left hand navigation bar and are providing each department in the Personnel Cabinet its own section, allowing users to access department-specific information relating to benefits, programs, and new cabinet offerings.

The results from the survey also led us to include a community calendar, pictures of state employees, and external HR news feeds. Please take the time to explore and learn about our new website. The Personnel Cabinet exists to "serve the people who serve the people." Our updated website, we hope, is a reflection of our service model. Please let us know what you think.

If you have any questions or comments about the new site, please contact Crystal.Pryor@ky.gov. Stay tuned as we will add new features to our site.



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