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Good morning,

Brian & I connected this morning. Instead of scheduling another meeting, please be ready to discuss and bring your questions to the 11am Director's meeting. We will discuss this then.

Thanks! Em

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For your awareness. Please look this over and be prepared to discuss later this morning. Emily will be scheduling a meeting.

Thanks.

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Gloria – Last night OMB issued a memo that directs agencies to, “temporarily pause all activities related to obligation or disbursement of all Federal financial assistance, and other relevant agency activities that may be implicated by the executive orders.” This goes into effect at 5pm today, January 28. Attached is the memo and a version that highlights the key points. It isn’t on the OMB website yet but there is a Washington Post article with a link to the memo.

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/business/2025/01/27/white-house-pauses-federal-grants/>

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