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**Chancellor Bradley Byrne announces resignation;
vows to “take the reform fight to a new arena”**

MONTGOMERY – In letters to State Board of Education members and college presidents and in a staff meeting at the Department of Postsecondary Education, Chancellor Bradley Byrne announced today that he is resigning his post, effective August 31.

Byrne, who recently celebrated his two-year anniversary as chancellor of the once-beleaguered Alabama Community College System, noted that “we have cleaned up the scandals in the system and instituted policy reforms which will assure the citizens of Alabama that the bad practices of the past cannot and will not return.”

Byrne did not immediately announce his intentions for the future, but stated “it is time for me to take the reform fight to a new arena.”

Byrne praised the courage of the board members and the teamwork at the department and in the colleges to transform the system into one that is “cleaned up, transparent, committed to integrity, and meeting the heightened demand for our core services during this recession, despite a \$60 million reduction in state funding.”

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