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***MEDIA ADVISORY: Stockton College experts
available to discuss implications
of Gov. Christie's budget address***

For Immediate consideration

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Dear Editors and Reporters:

As you know, Governor Chris Christie is expected to deliver grim economic realities tomorrow in his first budget address. The Governor has indicated billions will be cut in state programs and services as New Jersey struggles with an \$11 billion budget gap.

The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey stands ready as a resource as coverage of this story is planned.

Please consider speaking to and quoting the following Stockton experts regarding the effects of the budget cuts to specific categories:

- **Higher education:** Stockton President Dr. Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr.
- **K- 12 education:** Stockton Dean of Education Dr. Harvey Kesselman
- **The economy:** Stockton Professor Dr. Michael Busler
- **Government and political implications:** Sharon Schulman, Executive Director of the William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy

Please contact my cell, (609) 412-8069 if you would like me to put you in touch with any of these expert sources. They will be available for background information as well.

Thanks for considering Stockton.

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