**SAMPLE LOGON BANNERS THAT MEET NIST SP 800-53, AC-8: SYSTEM USE NOTIFICATION**

Control:  The information system:

1. Displays to users [*Assignment: organization-defined system use notification message or banner*] before granting access to the system that provides privacy and security notices consistent with applicable federal laws, Executive Orders, directives, policies, regulations, standards, and guidance and states that:
   1. Users are accessing a U.S. Government information system;
   2. Information system usage may be monitored, recorded, and subject to audit;
   3. Unauthorized use of the information system is prohibited and subject to criminal and civil penalties; and
   4. Use of the information system indicates consent to monitoring and recording;
2. Retains the notification message or banner on the screen until users acknowledge the usage conditions and take explicit actions to log on to or further access the information system; and

**--- STANDARD VERSION ---**

UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO THIS OR ANY STATE OF CALIFORNIA COMPUTING SYSTEM IS A CRIMINAL VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE SECTION 502 AND/OR APPLICABLE FEDERAL LAW. ANY UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS IS SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION. Whoever knowingly or intentionally accesses a computing system without authorization or exceeding authorized access, and by means of such conduct, obtains, alters, damages, destroys, or discloses information, or prevents authorized use of any data or computing resource owned by or operated for the State of California shall be subject to disciplinary action, prosecution or both. Use in a manner other than as intended by the State of California may result in the forfeiture of access privileges. All computing system activities may be recorded and monitored. Individuals using these systems expressly consent to such monitoring and shall have no expectation of privacy in their use. Evidence of possible misconduct or abuse may be provided to appropriate officials and/or law enforcement. No warranty is made for the computing resources that are subject to this policy. Additionally, the State of California takes no responsibility of damages for the intentional misuse of these resources by any party.

**--- COMPACT VERSION ---**

UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO ANY STATE OF CALIFORNIA COMPUTING SYSTEM IS A CRIMINAL VIOLATION OF PENAL CODE SECTION 502 AND/OR APPLICABLE FEDERAL LAW AND IS SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION. Accessing any system while exceeding one’s authorization or in ways not intended by the State of California shall be subject to disciplinary action, prosecution or both. Users shall have no expectation of privacy in the use of these computing systems as all actions may be recorded and monitored.