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From: Northwestern University Administrator
Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2013 2:58 AM (UTC-06:00) Central Time (US & Canada)
Subject: This Mail is from Administrator help desk

Dear:Northwestern University Email Account users.

This Mail is from Administrator help desk; we wish to bring to your notice the Condition of your email account Your Mail Box has exceeded its Quota/Limit allocated to you by your Mail Administrator portal, you are presently running on 5GB, you May not be able to receive Or send new Mails until you Re-Validate/increase your Mail Quota to the new 25GB Mail Quota.

Simply Click the new email 25GB Mail Quota. update link below.

[Link intentionally removed by NUIT]

NOTE:If unable to click the link, you are advised to copy and paste it in a new browser to increase your Mail Quota to our new 25GB Mail Quota. This is free and you do not need to Pay for this. Your account will remain active after you have successfully Increase your Mail Quota.

Regards,
Mail System Administrator
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