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8 **Resolution in Support of General Counsel Proposed**  
9 **UW Regulation 2-1, *Academic Personnel***  
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12 **WHEREAS**, at the September 2016 Board of Trustees meeting, the Board approved review by UW  
13 Administration of UW’s current regulatory structure, to include the following:

- 14 1) Phasing out presidential directives;  
15 2) Defining regulation versus policy/procedure;  
16 3) Creating an online manual, including a new “look” and format for the regulations; and  
17 4) Updating the substance of the regulations, policies, and procedures as needed, including  
18 determining whether there are any substantive gaps; and  
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20 **WHEREAS**, the new structure will involve three levels of policies:

- 21 1) Governing Regulations (Level A),  
22 2) Standard Administrative Policies and Procedures (Level B), and  
23 3) Department/Unit Administrative Policies and Procedures (Level C); and  
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25 **WHEREAS**, the University’s Routing Process for new or revised UW Regulations includes review by  
26 the Chair of the Faculty Senate; and  
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28 **WHEREAS**, the Chair of the Faculty Senate requested that the Faculty Academic Standards, Rights &  
29 Responsibilities Committee review the regulations proposed by General Counsel and submit  
30 recommendations to the Executive Committee; and  
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32 **WHEREAS**, the Executive Committee made additional amendments to those from the Faculty  
33 Academic Standards, Rights & Responsibilities Committee review; and  
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35 **WHEREAS**, the changes to the Regulations covered by this Resolution have important implications to  
36 the University Faculty and to the welfare of the University; therefore  
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38 **BE IT RESOLVED** the Faculty Senate supports UW Regulation 2-1, *Academic Personnel*, as proposed  
39 by General Counsel, with the adoption of the tracked-change amendments approved by the Faculty Senate  
40 as shown on the attached version.