Faculty Senate Resolution 445

Introduced by Executive Committee

Resolution in support of Criteria and Sources of Information for Reappointment, Tenure and Promotion SAPP

WHEREAS, at the September 2016 Board of Trustees meeting, the Board approved review by UW Administration of UW's current regulatory structure, to include the following:

- 1) Phasing out presidential directives;
- 2) Defining regulation versus policy/procedure;
- 3) Creating an online manual, including a new "look" and format for the regulations; and
- 4) Updating the substance of the regulations, policies, and procedures as needed, including determining whether there are any substantive gaps; and

WHEREAS. The new structure will involve three levels of review:

- 1) Governing regulations (Level A)
- 2) Standard Administrative Policies and Procedures (Level B), and
- 3) Department/Unit Administrative Policies and Procedures (Level C); and

WHEREAS, the University's Routing Process for new or revised UW Regulations includes review by the Chair of the Faculty Senate; and

WHEREAS, the Chair of the Faculty Senate requested that the Faculty Senate Executive Committee review, and that the Faculty Senate approve, some modifications to the Standard Administrative Policies and Procedures proposed by University Administration; and

WHEREAS, the changes to these Standard Administrative Policies and Procedures have important implications to the University Faculty and to the welfare of the University;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Faculty Senate of the University of Wyoming that Faculty Senate supports the adoption of Criteria and Sources of Information for Reappointment, Tenure and Promotion, as proposed by Academic Affairs, with the adoption of the tracked change amendments approved by the Faculty Senate as shown on the attached version.

AUTHENTICATION: The foregoing Faculty Senate Resolution 445, as amended, duly adopted by the Faculty Senate of the University of Wyoming under date of October 23, 2023, is hereby transmitted to the President of the University of Wyoming for review in accordance with UW Regulations.

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