June 12, 2009

From: Manzar Foroohar, Chair, Faculty Affairs Committee

To: Cal Poly Academic Senate


1- The committee finished drafting a comprehensive policy for evaluation of college deans. The final draft and accompanying resolution was sent to the Executive Committee, which agendized it for discussion by the full senate. The resolution was voted down by the majority vote.

2- The Faculty Affairs Committee finished reviewing CAP 523 (FACULTY PERSONNEL ACTIONS). The final draft of the policy was received and endorsed by the Academic Senate on May 26, 2009. (RESOLUTION ON CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION POLICIES SECTION 523- AS-687-09)

3- The Committee discussed and drafted “The RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF SHARED GOVERNANCE AS AN IMPORTANT COMPONENT OF FACULTY SERVICE,” (AS-686-09), which was adopted by the Senate on May 5, 2009.

4- The committee drafted a resolution on Academic Freedom and made recommendations for updating Cal Poly’s Statement on Academic Freedom. The Resolution and the updated statements were adopted by the Senate on June 2, 2009. (Resolution on Academic Freedom - AS-693-09)

Remaining charges:
Review general policy for MPP searches
Committee members:
Jimmy Doi, CSM
Anita Hernandez, COE
Michael Suess, Academic Personnel
John Dobson/Bing Anderson, College of Business-Finance
Robert Spiller, CAGR
Wu, Xi, CENG
Navjit Brar, Library
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