WHEREAS, Some of the original responsibilities to the Research and Professional Development Committee have become obsolete; and

WHEREAS, Some of the appropriate responsibilities are not clearly identified; therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Bylaws of the Academic Senate be revised as follows:

I. COMMITTEE DESCRIPTIONS

10. Research and Professional Development Committee

b. Responsibilities

The Research and Professional Development Committee shall:

(1) Provide oversight for research and professional development activities on campus.

(2) Make recommendations concerning all policies and procedures for research and professional development activities on campus.

(2) Provide advice and guidance related to research and professional development to the following:

a. Kennedy Library
b. Information Technology Services
c. Cal Poly Technology Park
d. Campuswide committees
e. Campus research center and institutes

(3) Conduct a regular review of research centers and institutes on campus.

(4) Provide library oversight as it relates to research and professional development.

(5) Review and make recommendations on disputed University professional leaves.

(6) Provide oversight to the Grants Review Committee.
To: David Hannings  
Chair, Academic Senate

From: Warren J. Baker  
President

Date: December 10, 2004

Copies: R. Detweiler

Subject: Response to Academic Senate Resolution AS-625-04  
Resolution on Revision to the Bylaws of the Academic Senate to Update the Responsibilities for the Research and Professional Development Committee

Response to Academic Senate Resolution AS-626-04  
Resolution on Revision to the Bylaws of the Academic Senate to Update the Procedures for the Faculty Dispute Review Committee

I acknowledge receipt of the above-entitled Academic Senate Resolutions and agree that the changes more clearly identify the committees' responsibilities.