Faculty_Rep_TermExpiration

REPORT FOR THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

University Senate Committee: Executive Committee

Brief History of Issue - why the issue is being considered:

Currently the Academic Staff Rep term commences office on July 1. Since both hold “annual” appointments, contracts and payments would be facilitated if both positions commenced on July 1 and followed the fiscal year.

Points Discussed by Committee:
- Doesn’t seem controversial

Pros of Recommendation:
- Provides consistency
- Facilitates HR contract processing

Cons of Recommendation:
- May cause a ‘gap’ in faculty availability if the faculty contract ends in May and the governance contract doesn’t start until July 1

Technology/Human Resource Impact:
- Change in the online FASRaP
- One time change in HR processing

Committee Recommendation:

That the language in Section T of the Bylaws be changed to reflect July 1 as the beginning date.
MOTION FOR THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

The University Senate Committee: Executive Committee

by a vote of ___14___ for to ___0___ against on ___November 15, 2011________ (Date)

Recommends that

Part III, Article Three: University Senate Bylaws, Section T – Faculty Representative to UW System of the Faculty and Academic Staff Rules and Procedures be changes as follows:

The Faculty Representative to the University of Wisconsin System shall be elected by the faculty members and from the tenured faculty members of the University Senate at the first fall-semester meeting of the University Senate of even-numbered years. The term of office shall be for two years beginning the next July 1 with the end of the academic year in odd-numbered years. (F 4/07, 11/11)

Implementation Date: upon publication January 2012

Signed: _______________________________________

Chair of the Committee

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