

REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION

February 28, 2017

To Be Adopted

Proposed Changes to Charge of the Committee on Faculty Welfare Bylaw 8.26.1

PRESENT

8.26 Faculty Welfare

8.26.1 This committee consists of ~~at least seven~~ members, two of whom shall be emeriti/ae professors. The Chair normally also serves on the University Committee on Faculty Welfare.

8.26.2 It is the duty of this committee to report to the Division on any and all matters of faculty welfare.

PROPOSED

8.26 Faculty Welfare

8.26.1 This committee consists of twelve members, two of whom shall be emeriti/ae professors. The committee shall have a broad and diverse representation from across campus. The Chair normally also serves on the University Committee on Faculty Welfare.

8.26.2 It is the duty of this committee to report to the Division on any and all matters of faculty welfare.

Statement of Purpose and Effect:

The Committee on Faculty Welfare (CFW) is expanding its membership from at least seven members to 12 members to gain a broader representation of the campus. The CFW would like to make the committee a more active participant in the pursuit of faculty welfare. In the past, the committee has been largely reactive to policies fostered by the Administration, and to various campus crises. The CFW intends to invite senior Administration officials and a few others on campus to provide input when policies are being formulated and to voice committee concerns. The CFW believes it is important to provide faculty input before administrative plans are implemented at UCR. Given the importance of such issues, members believe it is critical to have faculty representation on the committee that is as broad as possible.

Approvals

Approved by the Committee on Faculty Welfare:

December 13, 2016

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction finds the wording to be consistent with the code of the Academic Senate:

January 17, 2017

Reviewed by Executive Council:

February 13, 2017