HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY University Senate

Resolution on Minimum Qualifications for Student Office Holders

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RESOLVED: That the University Senate of Humboldt State University (HSU) recommends to the President that HSU adopt the attached updated policy in order to align with CSU Memorandum AA-2012-05 (Minimum Qualification for Student Office Holders); and be it further,

RESOLVED: That the attached updated policy will supersede HSU Policy Number EM:P13-01.

RATIONALE: Currently stakeholders at HSU are uncertain of the reasoning for altering the CSU Memorandum AA-2012-05 (Minimum Qualification for Student Office Holders) requirement for HSU as a higher GPA requirement and lower unit cap in student office holders is not an inclusive incentive for academic achievement. By aligning with the CSU requirements, HSU can provide more student opportunities to engage in learning outside of the classroom. Additionally, comparable CSU campuses are functioning under the CSU requirement at this time. Adopting the attached updated policy can better ensure HSU is inclusive of a diverse student population and provide students an opportunity to develop a sense of belonging.