HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY University Senate

Resolution on Curriculum Items 13-298, 299, 300, 310 (Act to End Sexualized Violence) #27-13/14-ICC – January 28, 2014

RESOLVED: That the University Senate of Humboldt State University recommends to the Provost that the following curriculum proposals be approved:

*13-298, 299, 300, 310 13-298 ANTH 235 ACT TO END SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE 13-299 COMM 235 ACT TO END SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE 13-300 CRGS 235 ACT TO END SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE 13-310 PSCI 235 ACT TO END SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE 13-313 SOC 235 ACT TO END SEXUALIZED VIOLENCE

Rationale:

This is a C1 large lecture course. It is currently listed ES/WS 480, SOC 494, ANTH 485, PSCI 371, COMM 480. This course has been cross-listed by a number of departments since its inception. The current new course proposal maintains this history, and proposes assigning a permanent course number. It has been taught as an experimental course in the past. If approved all number designations will change to 235. The justification for this new course proposal consists of 2 arguments: 1) To meet a curricular need on campus; and 2) There is a limit on how many times a special topics course can be offered. Typical enrollment in this class over the last 3 years has ranged from 57 to 88.

Note: The ICC was conflicted (and almost evenly-divided) about whether or not to approve courses with multiple cross-listings. We voted, and those in favor of approval won, so we are sending this forward to the Senate for approval. However, the Vice-Provost is opposed to cross-listing, so we expect that the proposal will not be approved.

Assuming that the Vice-Provost does not approve the proposal, the affected programs will be asked to select just one prefix for the course. At that time, the affected programs should also confirm that a lower-division course number is appropriate for this course, as several majors have been counting this course as an upper division elective. Even if the Vice-Provost says "no" to this proposal, we expect that the single version of this course should be able to be listed in the 2014/15 catalog.

*Curriculum forms are available in Nolij.

University Senate: Provost Snyder: