RESOLUTION ON ASSIGNED TIME UTILIZATION

WHEREAS, Professional development of faculty is recognized as a second priority of California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo; and

WHEREAS, It is recognized that teaching loads sometimes greatly limit the amount of time individual faculty can devote to activities that promote their professional development; and

WHEREAS There are usually a few funded but unfilled positions at department, school, and university levels each year; and

WHEREAS These unfilled positions can be used to provide release time for faculty so they can pursue activities that will contribute to their professional growth and development; therefore be it

RESOLVED: That an accounting of the number of funded but unfilled positions be made at the university and school levels; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate recommends that the Vice President for Academic Affairs and Deans develop procedures that provide faculty in a school an opportunity to utilize funded but unfilled positions on an assigned time basis for engaging in professional growth and development activities.

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