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MEMORANDUM

To:

Edward T. Foote II, President /

Steven Green

Chair, Faculty Senate

Date:

29 March 2001

Subject: Faculty Senate Legislation #2000-17(B) - Educator Faculty in the School of Law

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This legislation is now forwarded to you for your action.

SG/kl

cc:

√Luis Glaser, Provost

√Laurence Rose, Director of Litigation Skills Program

JDennis Lynch, Dean of the School of Law

CAPSULE: Faculty Senate Legislation #2000-17(B) - Educator Faculty in the School of Law

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The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Kimberly Litman Secretary of the Faculty Senate

From: Sent: To:

Steven Green; Dept. of Biology [Steven.Green@mlaml.edu] Monday, February 25, 2002 3:50 PM

Subject:

ULLMANN, Rosenthal, Myron; Faculty Senate Office

Re: Instructor Rank

All instructors are Educator Faculty by definition. They need not be licensed health practitioners in your school -- only the professorial ranks of clinical faculty need be such. Your instructors may or may not be licensed health practitioners, depending on whether they are "Instructor of Biochemistry" of "Instructor of Clinical Surgery" for example.

-Steve

---- Original Message -----From: "Faculty Senate Office" <facsen@miami.edu> To: "Green, Steven M." < steven.green@miami.edu> Sent: Monday, February 25, 2002 14:04 Subject: FW: Instructor Rank

> > ----Original Message----> From: Rosenthal, Myron [mailto:mrosenth@med.miami.edu] > Sent: Friday, February 22, 2002 10:17 AM > To: Gould, Elizabeth A; Ullmann, Steven G.; Faculty Senate > Subject: RE: Instructor Rank > Steve (Ullmann and Green) > The revised faculty manual includes Instructors in the Clinical > grouping of faculty. As I interpret the language of the manual, this > that > they must be licensed health practitioners and that, if terminated, > receive the notice time consistent with the educator group. > for most of our Instructors since they are usually clinicians serving > an extra year or two in our school following post-graduate > training and prior to leaving for other endeavors. > However, we do have some Instructors who are basic scientists and we have > other individuals who we wish to promote to an entry level position with > rank. I presume that the present Instructors who are basic scientists will > be > grand-parented (is this the politically correct verbage?) under the old > My question is what should we do with new hires or promotions of > non-clinicians to the very junior faculty rank which we formerly called 'instructor'. > One answer to this question might be 'Lecturer' but we seem to be > having > a problem with Affirmative Action since they read the job descriptions and > note, correctly, that these people are being hired predominately > as basic scientists and not to give lectures to students. > Another answer might be to hire into the rank and track of

> 'research assistant professor' but sometimes this is too advanced a

> position for these very junior individuals.

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A Therefore, I wonder if we could have two Instructor-level positions,
> as Instructor on the CE track (i.e. 'instructor of clinical medicine for
> example)
> and the other as Instructor on the lecturer track with the title of
> 'research instructor'. Note - I say that the latter individual should be
> the lecturer
> track rather than the research track because the lecturer position is a
term
> appointment. For many of these individuals, a term appointment is a
> more appropriate means to give them a first opportunity to serve and
succeed
> with faculty rank.
> I will appreciate your advice - thanx - best regards - mr
> ----Original Message----
> From: Gould, Elizabeth A
> Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2002 5:06 PM
> To: Rosenthal, Myron
> Subject: Instructor Rank
> Dr. Rosenthal,
> The Instructors currently receive a Term Appointment
> contract and according to the revised faculty manual they should receive
the
> educator contract which requires that they teach or see patients.
> We have Instructors in the Basic Science Departments that
> are non educators and no longer fit under the new criteria set forth for
> Instructors. In addition Departments recommend internal promotion for
their
> A06 i.e. Assistant Scientist and want to promote them to an Instructor
> because they are not qualified for the Assistant Professor rank.
> How are we going to classify these faculty?
> Elizabeth Gould
> Manager
> Faculty/Professional Affairs
> Ph(305) 243-6551
> Fax(305) 243-5574
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From:

Sent:

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Subject:

Faculty Senate Office Friday, April 06, 2001 2:14 PM Dreyer, Edward L. Answer to your inquiry re:Clinical Legal Education faculty

Steve's response to your question re: Clinical Legal Education faculty shall be eligible to serve on all faculty committee, except [Promotion and Tenure and Appointments] is as follows:"Excluded from initial appointments of tenured and tenure track (i.e., REGULAR) faculty". This response is per his conversation with Lonnie Rose.

Hope that answers your question.

Kim

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From:

Pulver, Eileen A

Sent:

Tuesday, August 07, 2001 8:49 AM

To:

Wedderburn, Debbie Johnson; Acevedo, Margarita Maria; Walsh, William John; Sapp, Mary M.; Riccio, Irma; Insignares, Kelly; Black, Wilhemena; Burns, Robert M; Yancey, Dennis J; EymannReyes, Mary; Ullmann, Steven G.; Buckley, Reba; Stein, Matthew B.; Borg, Sheryl S.; Case, Evelyn Kay; Faculty Senate Office;

Brodbeck, Joyce E.

Cc:

Gould, Elizabeth A; Rosenthal, Myron; Insignares, Kelly

Subject: Changes in DHRS for Job Classification and Titles for Educator Faculty

Hello to All:

Since you have all been included in some way or other in recent discussions concerning 'new titles for Educator faculty' at this present time (at the School of Law and School of Architecture), I am sending this e-mail, in the hope that this will be the final communication on the matter, to inform you that closure has been reached.

The following additions have been made and are currently effective. I shall be sending out an e-mail and memorandum, informing Schools and Colleges (& Departments) of this. The decision was concluded by the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs and University Administration

Briefly, and for your information the conclusion resulted in:

The existing "Clinical" Classifications to remain and reflect Medical (School of Medicine and Nursing) Educators.

Additional classification to be reflected as follows.

Benefits will remain the same for all EDUCATOR Faculty titles.

Working Titles for Non Medical Faculty may be truncated and reflect the appropriate discipline.

They will remain ALL non tenure earning status, and will facilitate 12 and 9 month appointments.

Thank you for your guidance and input in this matter.

| 2221 | Prof. Professional Practice | P5 |
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| 2231 | Associate Prof. Professional Practice | P6 |
| 2241 | Assistant Prof. Practice | P7 |
| 2251 | Instructor Prof. Practice | P8 |

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Cc: Subject: Lonny Rose [Irose@law.mlami.edu] Wednesday, March 21, 2001 3:56 PM facsen@mlaml.edu Mary I. Coombs; Stephen J. Schnably Law School Proposal for Educator Faculty







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Card for Lonny Ross

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