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## ELLEN SWITKES ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT – ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Re: Proposed Revisions to APM 210-1-d, APM 240 and APM 245 – Governing Appointment and Promotion

Dear Ellen:

At the October 20, 2004 meeting, the Academic Council reviewed the final draft revisions to APMs 210, 240 and 245 governing Appointment and Promotion and found them to be in exact conformity with the amendments that were endorsed by the Academic Council in June. For that reason, the Council determined that no further Senate review was needed.

As you know, one of the key recommendations in the Strategic Review Panel's 2003 Report, "Forging California's Future through Educational Partnerships" was that there should be more faculty involvement in educational outreach, and that this endeavor should be properly recognized and rewarded. In response to this recommendation, the Academic Council asked the University Committee on Affirmative Action and Diversity (UCAAD) and the University Committee on Academic Personnel (UCAP) to propose revisions to the APM that would advance this worthy goal. Hopefully these changes will lead to more faculty engagement in educational outreach activities.

Best Regards,

George Blumenthal, Chair Academic Council

cc: Ross Frank, UCAAD Chair Alan Barbour, UCAP Chair Academic Council

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