

FACULTY SENATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

***Resolution on the Chancellor's Decisions Regarding
Judicial Review Board Panel Recommendations***

WHEREAS, in light of the April 12, 2005, report submitted by the Judicial Review Board (JRB), the Faculty Senate is concerned with the Chancellor's responses to the JRB's unanimous panel recommendations; and

WHEREAS it is possible that in the future, full professors will be unwilling to serve on the JRB as a result of a widely perceived lack of respect toward the JRB; and

WHEREAS the Judicial Review Board is under the purview of the Faculty Senate; and

WHEREAS an aspect of shared governance is at stake;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate directs its president to express to the Board of Trustees the Senate's concerns with the chancellor's handling of the JRB's unanimous recommendations on several recent tenure and promotion cases;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate requests that the Board of Trustees independently review the recent JRB unanimous panel recommendations and the chancellor's rulings on those.

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