STUDENT ACADEMIC APPELLATE COMMITTEE

MEETING DATE: December 7, 2011

PERSON PRESIDING: Mike Brown

REGULAR MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Karen Kelly, Liz Fogarty, Anne Mallory, Tony Polito, Jonathan Wacker

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Elizabeth Layman, Cindy Putnam-Evans, Lynn Roeder

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Angela Anderson, Julie Poorman

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ACTIONS OF MEETING:

Agenda Item: Financial Aid

Discussion: The committee discussed the question of whether students appealing financial aid decisions have the right to be present when their appeal is considered.

The Director of Financial Aid updated the committee on a change in policy resulting from the passage of legislation on October 29, 2010. A student may repeat a previously passed course no more than once; the Financial Aid office cannot include a student’s third attempt at a course in its calculations of “full time” status.

Action Taken: Denied—3

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At 3:55 the committee went into executive session.

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Agenda Item: Drop Policy

Action Taken: Approved—2, Denied—2

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Agenda Item: Retroactive Withdrawals

Action Taken: Approved—1, Denied—2

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Agenda Item: Readmission/Suspension

Action Taken: Approved—2, Denied—5
Agenda Item: Other

Action Taken: Approved—1, Denied—3

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, January 4, 2012 at 10 a.m. in Rawl Annex 142.