RESOLUTION ON

PRESIDENTIAL CHANGES TO POLICY #F92-180,

SELECTION OF SEARCH COMMITTEES FOR

SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATORS

#RF93-130

At its meeting of October 26, 1993, the Academic Senate approved the following resolution regarding the presidential changes to the policy on Selection of Search Committees for SFSU Administrators:

WHEREAS The American Association of University Professors Statement on Governance asserts that faculty members will have a significant role in the selection of academic administrators; and

WHEREAS The 1991-92 Academic Senate Executive Committee charged the Faculty Affairs Committee with the responsibility to revise S90-166, Consultative Procedures for Selection of SFSU Administrators, to address the concerns and issues raised by the faculty in the Fall of 1991 including:

1. The guarantee of an elected majority of faculty representatives on search committees for those administrative positions most closely connected with faculty matters;

2. The guarantee of adequate faculty representation on search committees for all positions covered by the policy;

3. The guarantee of adequate lecturer, school staff, and student representation on search committees;

4. Recognition in the policy of the importance of differentiating school deans and the university librarian from other administrative positions;

5. Recognition of the importance to the faculty of the positions of Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development;

6. The selection of chairs for search committees; and

7. The format for the recommendation of the final slate of candidates to the President;

and

WHEREAS These concerns and issues were addressed in #F92-180, Policy on Selection of Search Committees for SFSU Administrators, which was unanimously approved by the Academic Senate on May 19, 1992; and

WHEREAS This policy was ratified by 93.8% of the faculty voting in a faculty referendum conducted in the Fall of 1992; and
WHEREAS President Corrigan, in approving #F92-180, *Policy on Selection of Search Committees for SFSU Administrators*, made numerous and significant changes in language; therefore be it

RESOLVED That the Academic Senate affirm its commitment to the principle of elected representation of constituencies on search committees; and be it further

RESOLVED That the Academic Senate instruct its Executive Committee, when consulting with the President under the terms of Section B, paragraph 2, of #F92-180, *Policy on Selection of Search Committees for SFSU Administrators*, to be guided by the faculty referendum of Fall 1992 in defining its position regarding appropriate composition and size of administrative search committees; and be it further

RESOLVED That the Executive Committee of the Academic Senate form an ad hoc committee to review and evaluate the implementation of #F92-180, *Policy on Selection of Search Committees for SFSU Administrators*, during the academic year 1993-94 and to present its report and recommendations to the Academic Senate before the end of the Spring Semester, 1994.