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FACULTY SENATE

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY

FACULTY SENATE RESOLUTION 26-1

Approved by the Faculty Senate XXXXXX

CONTINUITY OF GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

- 2 WHEREAS, the Grievance Committee of Southeast Missouri State University is currently engaged in an
- 3 active and ongoing grievance process; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the Membership Committee of the Faculty Senate recommends appointments to the
- 5 Grievance Committee, and the Faculty Senate confirms such appointments; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the terms of two current Grievance Committee members and their corresponding alternates
- 7 are scheduled to conclude at the end of the current Faculty Senate session; and
- 8 WHEREAS, those members and alternates have participated in deliberations and invested substantial
- 9 time and effort in understanding the details and context of the matter at hand; and
- 10 WHEREAS, requiring newly appointed members and alternates to assume responsibility for the ongoing
- 11 grievance would present an undue burden, diminish the efficiency of the process, and potentially
- compromise the fairness and integrity of the proceedings; and
- WHEREAS, the Membership Committee intends to proceed with identifying and recommending new
- members and alternates to fill the expiring positions in accordance with normal Faculty Senate
- 15 procedures;

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- 17 **THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Faculty Senate approves the recommendation that the two
- 18 current Grievance Committee members whose terms are ending at the conclusion of the current Faculty
- 19 Senate session, along with their corresponding alternates, be permitted to continue serving on the
- 20 committee for the duration of the ongoing grievance process; and

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- 22 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that this extension of service shall conclude at the resolution of the
- 23 current grievance or by September 1, whichever comes first, and shall not affect regular procedures for
- 24 future committee appointments.

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