

NMSU FACULTY AFFAIR COMMITTEE  
END OF YEAR REPORT.  
April 26, 2018

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**Narrative**

On 9/12/17, Faculty Affairs Committee took up Proposition 02-17/18: A proposal to update and revise Rule 5.87 as companion revision to Rule 5.90 (Promotion and Tenure).

Christopher Brown introduced this proposition, stating that the main sponsor (Stuart Munson-Mcgee) was no longer part of the Faculty Senate. Mr. Brown suggested that the Committee vote to “Ask for more time” would allow him to add sponsors and work out ambiguous wording within the proposition. A motion was made to ask for more time in considering Proposition 02-17/18. The motion was seconded. The motion passed unanimously with no opposition or abstentions.

The Faculty Affairs Committee met on 10/10/17 and 10/17/17 to discuss amendments to Proposition 02-17/18: A proposal to update and revise Rule 5.87 as companion revision to Rule 5.90 (Promotion and Tenure). The committee recommended “Do Pass as Amended” by a unanimous vote.

The Faculty Affairs Committee met on January 16, 2018 to Proposition 19-17/18: A Proposition of Revision to ARP 4.46 - Authorized Absences (formerly Rule 6.16). The committee recommended “Do Pass as Amended” by a unanimous vote.

The Faculty Affairs Committee met on April 10, 2018 to consider Proposition 32-17/18: 4.55 Grade Reports and Proposition 33-17/18: 4.68 Course Curriculum Changes. Both proposition 32 and 33 were recommended “Do Pass as Proposed”

Respectfully,

Wade A. Matthews FA Chair