Proposition: 03-17/18

Title: Request for Senate Approval of Proposed Rule 6.67 - Experiential Learning Component for NMSU Academic Programs

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Proposed Committee:

Assigned Committee: Scholastic Affairs

Prior Approvals:

Proposal: By this proposition, the bill's sponsor asks the NMSU Faculty Senate to provide input to this proposed rule, and also to approve the final rule to come from discussions within the relevant Standing Committee and the full Senate. The final draft of the proposed rule to come from the Experiential Learning Task Force that worked on this rule during the summer of 2017 is attached to this proposition.

Rationale: This rule seeks to advance Experiential Learning for undergraduate students at NMSU that is called for within the Six Pillars of Vision 2020. Such Experiential Learning enjoys wide support among faculty and administrators at NMSU, and the proposed rule provides a framework by which baccalaureate degree granting departments can advance Experiential Learning in their degree programs.