MEMORANDUM

TO: Gail Eckwright, Faculty Secretary
   Paul Joyce, Chair, Faculty Senate

FROM: M. Duane Nellis, President

SUBJECT: Policies Recommended by the Faculty Senate and General Faculty

DATE: June 30, 2011

In response to your memo of May 9, 2011, and pursuant to Faculty-Staff Handbook section 1420, I hereby approve/disapprove certain of the items presented in the policy report attached to your memo as follows:

APPROVED WITHOUT COMMENT:
I. Proposed Changes/Additions to the Faculty-Staff Handbook (FSH).

   • FS-11-026: FSH 1565 - Faculty Ranks - Associated Faculty voting
   • FS-11-036: FSH 1460 - University Wide Policy Development
   • FS-11-037: FSH 1540 - Standing Rules of the University Faculty
   • FS-11-038: FSH 1570 - Faculty Secretary
   • FS-11-040: FSH 1420 - University Administration
   • FS-11-042: FSH 4130 - Standard Course Numbers
   • FS-11-012: FSH 3750 - Employee Spouse Educational Fee and Tuition Reduction
   • FS-11-014: Professional Development and Learning
   • FS-11-022: FSH 1565 - Faculty Ranks - Clinical Faculty (**)
   • FS-11-044: FSH 3450 - Presidential Actions to Manage Expenditures to Respond to Financial Challenges
   • FS-11-025: FSH 1520 - University Constitution (Clinical Faculty and Associated Faculty voting) (**)
   • FS-11-039: FSH 1580 - Bylaws of Faculty Senate

II. Proposed Changes to the University of Idaho Catalog.

   • FS-11-043: UCC-11-064: NOI Martin School
I. Proposed Changes/Additions to the *Faculty-Staff Handbook* (FSH).

- **FS-11-011: Dual Career Accommodation**
  
  Comment: I approve this change to the FSH with a one year period for implementation by Human Resources. In addition, Section B-2 must be applied in a fashion consistent with the policies of the Regents, including Policies II.F.1.b.(5) and II.G.1.b) regarding fixed annual terms of employment. Any commitment to fund a position as set out in Section B-2 shall not be construed as implying a term of employment beyond that allowed by the policies of the Regents.

- **FS-11-024: FSH 3520 - F-9: Tenure Extension**
  
  Comment: I approve this change to the FSH subject to the interpretation necessary to maintain consistency with Regents policies II.G.6.b(2) and II.G.6.d.(4)(b) that the request for extension under FSH 3520 Section F-9.A be by formal written request to the Provost indicating that the extension is requested by reason of childbirth or adoption.

Note: Policy changes marked (**) require approval of the Regents and will be submitted by the President for such approval at the next meeting of the Regents.