Faculty Senate Resolution 08-01 AAUP Recommendation to Modify Faculty Handbook Sponsored by the Faculty Senate Executive Committee

Whereas the Constitution further stipulates that the Faculty Senate, subject to the powers vested in the Chancellor of LSUHSC-NO, shall review and approve all changes in existing policies or the establishment of new policies relating to matters of general LSUHSC-NO interest when these policies are brought to the Senate for consideration by the Chancellor of LSUHSC-NO or by its own members or constituencies;

Whereas the American Association of University Professors in a letter to the Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs dated November 16, 2007 proposed modifications in existing LSUHSC-NO provisions related to financial exigency as expressed in Sections 9.4 and 10.10 of the Faculty Handbook that the Faculty Senate deem reasonable and necessary;

Therefore be it resolved that the Faculty Senate recommend adoption of the proposed changes in word or principle.