2008–2009 Faculty Grievance Committee Activity Report Prepared by Suzanne Hobbs, Chair (2008-2009)

The faculty grievance committee met on June 8, 2009 to appoint a new committee chair for SY 2009-2010 (Prof. Beverly Taylor). A subcommittee was also assigned at that time to address the following grievance initiated in May 2009:

A faculty member from the School of Education filed a grievance on May 5, 2009 concerning a report of bullying, professional disparagement and racial discrimination. A three-person subcommittee was assigned to the grievance.

There was little other committee activity this year. The committee chair worked with the Office of Faculty Governance to ascertain the proper disposition of several cases of old Faculty Grievance Committee records. Records older than three years were taken to Facility Services for confidential record disposal. Going forward, records less than three years of age will be retained by the current committee chair.