

Constitution of the Glenville State College Faculty Senate

Preamble: POLICY FROM HIGHER AUTHORITY

The Faculty Senate of Glenville State College is the elected representative body empowered by WV Code, CHAPTER 18B. HIGHER EDUCATION. ARTICLE 6. ADVISORY COUNCILS.

§18B-6-3. Institutional faculty Senate.

B. The representative to the State Advisory Council of Faculty will be a voting member of the Senate serving a two year term of office and report to the Senate on meetings of the state Advisory Council of Faculty.

C. The Faculty Representative to the Glenville State College Board of Governors is a voting member of the Senate who serves a two year term of office and reports to the Senate on the meetings of the Board of Governors.

Section 2. In the event an elected member under Article II Section 1 is unable or unwilling to assume or complete his duties, a special election shall be held by the appropriate constituency and the elected individual shall complete the unexpired term. In the event of a similar vacancy in the ranks of the at-large members the replacement will be identified from the full-time Faculty member receiving the next highest number of votes in the biannual election.

Section 3. The officers of the Senate are the President of the Faculty Senate, Vice President of the Faculty Senate, Secretary of the Faculty Senate, Treasurer of the Faculty Senate, and Parliamentarian of

of Senate action was communicated to the faculty, the President of the Senate shall communicate the policy recommendation, in writing, to the Vice President for Academic Affairs. In the event a policy recommendation of the Senate which has been petitioned is upheld by the faculty in the general faculty meeting convened to review said recommendation, on the next working day after the general faculty meeting, the Senate President shall communicate the policy recommendation, in writing, to the Vice President for Academic Affairs. In this case, the Senate President shall also inform the Vice President for Academic Affairs that the recommendation was reviewed at a general meeting of the faculty and endorsed by a majority of the faculty present and voting at that meeting.

their Departments will be candidates. Sufficient faculty to bring the total number of Senators to twelve will be elected by number of votes, the highest numbers will receive the position. At large Senate seats which become vacant before the end of a term shall be filled for the period of vacancy from the most