Recommendation of the University Committee and the Academic Affairs Committee to amend Chapter 4.04(1), UWM Policies and Procedures.

4.04 Departmental Executive Committee:

OLD  (1) Each department has a Departmental Executive Committee, consisting of all full-time members of the department who are professors or associate professors, and as determined by the Departmental Executive Committee at the time of appointment to tenure rank, any person holding a part-time appointment at the rank of professor or associate professor, provided that this rule shall not be construed to withdraw any membership understandings or arrangements in effect at the time this rule was adopted, and provided further that all persons holding multiple or part-time appointment at the rank of professor or associate professor shall be entitled to membership in at least one Departmental Executive Committee. If the University Faculty so provides, assistant professors or instructors with tenure may have membership on Departmental Executive Committees.

NEW  It is recommended that the last sentence be amended to read:

"The executive committee of a department or non-departmentalized school or college may by a two-thirds vote grant membership on the executive committee to a tenured assistant professor or instructor. Such membership, once granted, may not be revoked".

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