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### **D.** Classification and Compensation

#### 1. Purpose.

**1.1 Policies.** This statement sets forth the policies applicable to Employee compensation and Position classification.

#### 1.2 Establishment of Regulations.

**1.2.1 The Administration shall establish and maintain a Compensation Plan** for Non-exempt Positions. The plan shall include an appropriate title and specifications describing the occupational summary and the work performed for each Position.

**1.2.2 Compensation to Employees for services performed,** and maintenance of records related thereto shall be consistent with applicable laws and regulations.

2. Compensation. The University shall compensate Employees in a manner which:

- Assures consistent treatment of comparable Positions;
- Affords opportunity for recognition of quality of work, continued good service, and outstanding performance; and,
- Takes account of compensation practices outside the University.

**3. Fund Source and Rate of Pay.** The source of funds shall have no bearing on the rates of pay established for Positions.

#### 4. Basis of Earnings.

**4.1 Non-Exempt Employees.** Earnings are based on the hourly wage rate times the actual hours worked. Hours worked in excess of 40 in a work-week shall be compensated at not less than one and one-half times the regular rate.

**4.2 Exempt Employees.** Earnings are based on the annual salary.

## 5. Determination of Pay Rate.

**5.1 Non-Exempt Positions.** The rates of pay for Non-exempt Positions shall be determined by the approved Compensation Plan.

**5.1.1 Former Non-exempt Employees** returning to employment in the same position shall be paid no more than the rate at which they were being paid at the time of termination. However, the pay may be higher if, in the intervening time, increases in salary or adjustments in the Compensation Plan warrant a higher pay.

**5.2 Exempt Positions.** The rates of pay for Exempt Positions shall be based upon budgeted salary amount.

**6. Extra Remuneration Restrictions.** The Administration shall develop and maintain regulations and procedures for providing extra remuneration to eligible employees.