Central Connecticut State University UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

Senate Motion Number FS 13.14.031B

TO:	President Jack Miller		
FROM	I: President of the University Se	nate	
	 The attached motion of the University Senate, dealing with: <u>Bylaws of the Board of Regents Teaching Award Committee</u> is presented to you for your consideration. This motion was adopted by the University Senate on <u>05/05/2014</u>. 		
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	3. After considering this motion, please indicate your action on this form, and return i together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.		
 4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.7, the following schedule of action is to be observed. a) By <u>05/12/2014</u>, Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted). 			
			b) By <u>05/27/2014</u> , the President of the University to return the motion to the of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt).
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	Date	Stephen Cohen, President, University Senate	
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TO:	President of the University Senate		
FROM	1: President Jack Miller		
1.	Motion Approved :	_	
2.	Motion Disapproved:	(Explanatory statement must be appended).	
3.	Action "is deferred":	-	
4.	Resolution Noted:	_	

Board of Regents Teaching Award Committee MISSION

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BY-LAWS

Membership

Six faculty at rank of Professor with at least one representative from each school of the University.

Elections

Members shall be elected each spring by the full-time faculty for staggered two-year terms. If a school has no continuing members of the committee, then the candidate from that school who has the highest vote total will be elected to the committee. The winners of the remaining positions (if there are any) will be the candidates with the highest vote totals, after the school-specific winners have been removed from the pool.

Organization

The committee shall organize itself annually in September, and shall elect a chairperson.

Functions and Responsibilities

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Special Provision for Spring 2015 election

In the Spring 2015 election, the top three candidates will be elected to a two-year term, and the fourth place candidate will be elected to a one-year term.