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RESOLUTION *A*

Resolved that the Faculty Senate wishes to offer the services of its Executive Committee, pursuant to its responsibilities as set forth in its constitution, to advise the Regents in the establishment of the selection procedures for, and the qualifications of, the next president of Western Kentucky University.

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Resolved that the Faculty Senate deems the following qualities desirable for the next president of Western Kentucky University; and respectfully requests the Board of Regents to incorporate these suggestions into their search procedure:

1. Strong academic credentials, including an earned doctorate and demonstrated scholarship
2. Demonstrated skills in working effectively with all groups that affect and influence a university
3. College classroom teaching experience
4. The ability to select outstanding subordinates and to delegate authority
5. ^{The ability} Recognition of the need for continued professional development for faculty and administrators
6. An appreciation for and a willingness to work in an atmosphere of a "community of scholars."

The Faculty Senate is confident that the Board of Regents is fully aware of the vital importance of selecting a new president who will receive enthusiastic support from all segments of the University community. To enhance the possibility of achieving this broadly based support, we respectfully suggest that adequate provision be made in the selection process for authentic and equitable representation from the faculty, administration, staff, student body, and alumni.

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In the interest of a smooth administrative transition, the Faculty Senate recommends that, in the event it becomes necessary to appoint an interim president, the interim president be named from among those university administrators who have publically declared themselves to be unavailable as a candidate for the presidency.