



MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 5, 2011

TO: Professor Jennifer English, Faculty Senate President

FROM: Vistasp M. Karbhari, Provost and Executive Vice-President for Academic Affairs

SUBJECT: Resolution #10/11-07 delivered 12/17/10

I am in receipt of the above referenced resolution and I am pleased to approve the resolution. I would like to commend the Senate for developing a method that will enhance participation of faculty in standing and ad-hoc Senate faculty committees. Greater participation of our faculty in the governance of the University through such committees is an important aspect of service and this is a welcome step and I encourage the Senate to continue developing mechanisms that allow all our faculty to participate at an enhanced level.

I would like to request that the Senate ensure that the Senate Committee that is revising the *Faculty Handbook* include this in the *Handbook* at the appropriate location.