Format for Confidential Report of Conference Between Department Chair and Faculty Member

As part of the Faculty Activities Report Program, each department chair must annually, in the spring, prior to the May Commencement, discuss individually with faculty his/her assessment of their contributions. It is required that the department chair specifically comment on each of the following: 1) What were the duties this faculty member was expected to fulfill? 2) What has been performed well? 3) What needs improvement? 4) What objectives are agreed upon for the coming year? 5) The chair’s summary of the faculty member’s progress toward tenure and/or promotion during the past year when applicable. In addition, if not already covered above, the chair will summarize the primary contributions of the faculty member to the department and/or university during the past year.

Faculty Member’s Name: ____________________________  Department: ________________________________

Faculty Member’s Rank: __________________________  Date of Rank: ________________________________

First Faculty Appointment: __________________________  Tenured: ________________________________

Date of Conference: __________________________

Chair’s Comments:

Chair’s Signature: __________________________  Date: __________________________

Faculty Member’s Comments:

Faculty Member’s Signature __________________________  Date: __________________________

It is the responsibility of both the faculty member and the chair to ensure that the annual conference, as recorded herein, provides the faculty member with sufficient information to set goals for the following year’s performance. The signed original is retained in the faculty member’s personnel file in the department. Copies of this document are for chair and faculty member only, but available to Provost, Chancellor, and as necessary for Post Tenure Review.

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