1.0 Hiring of Adjunct Faculty

1.1 The interests of students and the community are best served by selecting from the available pool of persons in the community those individuals who have special expertise and diverse backgrounds to serve in various adjunct faculty positions.

1.2 By encouraging diversity in the pool of adjunct faculty members, the Los Rios Community College District can increase diversity among tenured faculty.

2.0 Police Records

2.1 All applicants shall be fingerprinted prior to employment with the District.

2.1.1 This District Policy and the corresponding Administrative Regulation shall not apply to any California or Federal Peace Officer currently employed and paid as such.

2.2 The Chancellor shall adopt appropriate Administrative Regulations.

3.0 Qualifications

3.1 An applicant must possess the minimum qualifications established for the position; the individual must be able to perform the essential functions of the position with or without reasonable accommodation.

3.2 An applicant or candidate shall be disqualified for any of the following reasons:

3.2.1 Conviction of a misdemeanor involving sex offenses, controlled or illegal substances as defined in Education Code, sections 87010 and 87011 respectively; or of any felony; or determination that the individual is a sexual psychopath as defined in Education Code, section 87406. (Ed. Code, § 87405) The Los Rios Community College District Board of Trustees delegates the determination of exceptions to this rule under Education Code, section 87405 to the Chancellor. The Chancellor shall develop Administrative Regulations regarding this issue;

3.2.1.1 Exception: Applicants and employees that have applied for or obtained certificates of rehabilitation and pardon and, if the applicant’s probation has been terminated and the information or accusation has been dismissed under Penal Code, section 1203.4 for sex offenses, controlled or illegal substances convictions may be retained or considered for employment. (Ed, §§ 87010, 87011, 87405)

3.2.1.2 Exception: Applicants and employees with felony convictions, other than those applicants that are disqualified for service under Education Code, sections 87010, 87011, 87405, or 87406, shall be individually evaluated to determine if disqualification based on their felony conviction(s) is job-related and consistent with
business necessity.

3.2.1.3 Exception: Applicants and employees that are disqualified for service under Education Code, section 87010, 87011, or 87405 may be retained or considered for employment if the Board of Trustees determines from the evidence presented that the person has been rehabilitated for at least five years, or has received a certificate of rehabilitation and pardon, or if the accusation or information against the person has been dismissed and he or she has been released from all disabilities and penalties resulting from the offense pursuant to section 1203.4 of the Penal Code. In order to determine whether an applicant has been rehabilitated for at least five years, the Board of Trustees shall evaluate the applicant to determine if the disqualification is job-related and consistent with business necessity.

3.2.2 Falsification or attempted deception in statement on the application.

3.2.3 Previous dismissal from District service by the Board of Trustees.

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