

## FACULTY SENATE RESOLUTION 95-02

**WHEREAS** the Faculty Senate's Admissions, Standards, and Honors Committee, in its discussion of Repeat/Delete and Drop/Withdraw, has made suggestions in its November 13, 1995 report about the University's Pass/Fail and advising policies, but recognizes that these suggestions require further discussion and

**WHEREAS** there are good academic reasons for encouraging students to sample courses they might otherwise be averse to choosing, and to take some risks in their course selection (for example, to experiment with new academic areas or fields), and

**WHEREAS** a poor grade in a course may be a signal of a student with academic or other difficulties, and students who encounter academic difficulties should be encouraged to seek advice and help as early as possible,

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that a committee with broad representation from the various academic units should be set up to discuss the following proposals of the ASH Committee and their possible implementation:

1. A student may take up to one course per semester on a Pass/Fail basis. Any course not required by the academic major may be taken on this basis. A student may change a Pass/Fail registration to a regular graded registration at any time up until the final day of class. A course may be changed from a graded to Pass/Fail basis only through the fourteenth day.
2. Any student who receives a D or F in a course must speak with an academic advisor before registering for the next semester.