THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE FACULTY SENATE

Senate Document Number9816SDate of Senate Approval05/05/16Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC 84 Recommended changes to Senate Document 2015F: Application for Exceptions to Credit Caps on Majors

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Add as underlined:

APC will evaluate the petitions and weigh factors that include, but may not be limited to, apparent disciplinary norms, impact on teaching resources, time to graduation, and value added by exceptions to the major and total required course caps. If granted by APC, and <u>affirmed by a Faculty Senate vote</u>, the exemptions will last for the shorter of five years or changes in course offerings (including the frequency with which courses that satisfy both major and LAC requirements are offered) or graduation requirements (the department's or the University's) that put the department and any of its concentrations over the cap(s).

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b. The Provost and Deans will receive the petitions for exemption and APC's the decisions regarding them at the same time APC and the departments do. It is likely the Provost and the Deans will communicate to the departments the benefits of curricular changes that put the departments under the caps. These benefits may include, but are not limited to, the greater likelihood of position requests and Professional Development Leaves being granted. Because they are not constrained by APC decisions; however, The grant of an exemption by APC is no guarantee that the Provost and the Deans will grant similar exemptions from their policies with respect to credit caps.