

Regulations for the Establishment of the Faculty Evaluation Committee of the School of Forestry and Resource Conservation, College of Bioresources and Agriculture, National Taiwan University

Article 1

The Regulations for the Establishment of the Faculty Evaluation Committee of the School of Forestry and Resource Conservation, College of Bioresources and Agriculture, National Taiwan University (hereinafter referred to as “these Regulations”) are established by Article 8, Paragraph 1 of the “National Taiwan University Guidelines Governing the Establishment of the Faculty Evaluation Committee of Each Department, Division, Graduate Institute, Degree Program, Office, and Center”.

Article 2

The Faculty Evaluation Committee of the department (hereinafter referred to as “the Committee”) shall consist of eleven members. The department chair shall serve as an ex officio member, and ten additional full-time faculty members at the rank of Associate Professor or above shall be elected, excluding those who are abroad for more than six months in the current year. Among the elected members, seven shall be Professors and three shall be Associate Professors.

If the number of members is insufficient, the higher-level administrative unit may appoint faculty members from related fields to fill the vacancies.

The department chair shall serve as the convener and chairperson of the meetings. Faculty members under procedures for dismissal, non-renewal, or final termination but temporarily retained during the process shall not serve as committee members.

Article 3

The responsibilities of the Committee include reviewing cases related to the initial (or revised) appointment, contract term, promotion, non-renewal, suspension, and dismissal of the department's faculty members; extension of service for Professors and Associate Professors; sabbatical leave applications of Professors and Associate Professors; and other matters required by law to be reviewed by the Committee.

In cases where a faculty member fails a faculty evaluation appeal, any subsequent non-renewal or termination procedures shall follow the university's Faculty Evaluation Guidelines.

Article 4

Cases involving initial (or revised) appointment, non-renewal, suspension, dismissal, extension of service, or sabbatical leave of Professors and Associate Professors shall be reviewed by Committee members of the same or higher academic rank.

Article 5

Faculty promotion cases shall be reviewed by Committee members of a higher academic rank than the candidate.

Article 6

Committee meetings require attendance by at least two-thirds of the members, and resolutions must be approved by more than half of those present. However, attendance and resolution thresholds for dismissal, non-renewal, or suspension shall comply with relevant provisions of the Teachers' Act.

Committee members must recuse themselves from reviewing or discussing matters in which they have a conflict of interest.

Members who are disqualified due to conflicts of interest or lower academic rank will not be counted toward the total number of committee members.

When reviewing new or revised faculty appointments, the Committee shall invite other full-time faculty members of the department (not serving on the Committee) to attend the meeting as non-voting participants.

Article 7

Other relevant rules and regulations shall handle matters not covered in these Regulations.

Article 8

These Regulations shall be implemented following approval by the Department Affairs Meeting, the College Affairs Meeting, and record-filing by the University Administration Meeting. They shall take effect on the date of promulgation.