Central Connecticut State University
UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

Senate Motion Number FS 13.14.024B

TO: President Jack Miller

FROM: President of the University Senate

1. The attached motion of the University Senate, dealing with: Nursing Program Retention Policy is presented to you for your consideration.

2. This motion was adopted by the University Senate on 04/28/2014.

3. After considering this motion, please indicate your action on this form, and return it together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.

4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.7, the following schedule of action is to be observed.

   a) By 05/05/2014, Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted).

   b) By 05/19/2014, the President of the University to return the motion to the President of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt).

   05/05/2014 ____________________________
   Date                        Stephen Cohen, President, University Senate

ENDORSEMENT:

TO: President of the University Senate

FROM: President Jack Miller

1. Motion Approved: □

2. Motion Disapproved: □ (Explanatory statement must be appended).

3. Action "is deferred": ________________

4. Resolution Noted: ________________

5. Other: ________________

   5/7/14 ____________________________
   Date                        President Jack Miller
Department of Nursing

Proposed BSN Retention Policy

Once admitted to the BSN program a student must maintain the following standards in order to remain in good standing within the Nursing program:

- a cumulative GPA of 2.7 in all NRSE courses and all related requirements including BMS 206, BMS 216, CHEM 210, EXS 207 and EXS 208 each semester,
- no less than a C+ in each NRSE course, and
- no less than a C in a related requirement.

If any of these standards are not met, the student will be considered in provisional status within the Nursing Program. The student must develop and follow an action plan with his or her academic advisor or the Chairperson of the Department of Nursing.

If less than a C+ is earned in a NRSE course, that course must be repeated in the next fall or spring semester that it is offered and may be repeated only once.

If a student earns less than a C+ in two or more NRSE courses the student will be removed from the Nursing Program.

Effective for Nursing students admitted into the Nursing Program for Fall 2014 or later.