Causes for Non-Renewal or Termination*

The following are valid reasons or causes for suspension, for demotion, and for termination for cause of any employee, except as otherwise provided herein.

- 1. Abolition of position or program.
- 2. Conviction of a felony. (If an employee with a felony conviction is employed, and it is revealed at the time of employment and made a matter of record in the employee's personnel file, that conviction shall not constitute a reason for subsequent non-renewal or termination).
- 3. Commission of acts, which cause or result in a disruption of the operation of classes or other regular activities at the college.
- 4. Failure to maintain required certification and/or licensing.
- 5. Immoral activity which adversely reflects upon the college or impairs effectiveness on the job.
- 6. Incompetency.
- 7. Inefficiency.
- 8. Insufficient revenue.
- 9. Mental or physical unfitness which renders the employee incapable of satisfactorily performing essential job function.
- 10. Reduction in force.
- 11. Unauthorized absence or excessive absenteeism.
- 12. Unauthorized conversion or use of college property for personal use.
- 13. Violation of terms of contract.
- 14. Willful failure to comply with reasonable requirements of the board of trustees, as may be prescribed from time to time, to show normal improvement and evidence of continued professional training.
- 15. Willful failure to obey and carry out reasonable directives of immediate supervisor.
- 16. Willful neglect of duty.
- 17. Insubordination.
- 18. The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance (as defined in the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988) by an employee in the workplace and/or the failure of an employee to notify the college of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction.

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^{*}Covered by PEA Negotiated Agreement