S90-9 Minimum Grades to Fulfill ELM and EPT Requirement

Legislative History:

At its meeting of May 7, 1990, the Academic Senate approved the following Policy Recommendation presented by Sandra Kajiwara for the Curriculum and Research Committee.

Rescinded by S99-6

ACTION BY THE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:
"Approved and accepted as University Policy, Effective Fall, 1990 and thereafter." Signed Gail Fullerton, May 14, 1990.

Whereas, San José State University requires, through the use of A,B,C,NC grading, that its native freshmen achieve a grade of "C" in SJSU English 1A before entering English 1B, but requires transfer students only a "passing" grade in English 1A or equivalent (which may be a "D"), and

Whereas, Transfer students who have passed a Community College Quantitative Reasoning course with a grade below "C" must, by CSU policy, take the Entry Level Math (ELM) exam -- but do not need to pass it, and

Whereas, On most CSU campuses, passage of the ELM exam has been made a graduation requirement (partly in order to address the illogic of the above scheme), therefore, be it

Resolved, That SJSU establishes as a graduation requirement a minimum grade of "C-" in English 1A (or equivalent course), and be it further

Resolved, That SJSU establishes as a graduation requirement passage of the ELM examination and a minimum grade of "C-" in the course used to satisfy the CSU General Education Quantitative Reasoning requirement.