Los Rios Community College District Human Resources

Load Balancing Agreement Teaching 60 Formula Hours over a Four-Semester Period

The Los Rios College Federation of Teachers (LRCFT) and the District have agreed in the contract (Article 4.6.2) that the typical faculty load is 60 formula hours over a two-year period (or 15 formula hours per semester). However, in order to meet department and/or scheduling needs, the regular load can vary between 60-62 formula hours.

At the end of the four semester load balancing period, formula hours *greater* than 60 (4.00 FTE) in the Instructional Mode, by an amount equivalent to or greater than .067 FTE or one formula hour, shall be paid as overload (Schedule B). Load balancing totals *between* 59.0 to 61.0 will not be adjusted.

The purpose of this form is to address an uncommon occurrence in which a faculty member may be **below** 60 formula hours at the end of the two-year load balancing period by an amount equivalent to or greater than .67 FTE or one formula hour. When possible, the balance left should be completed by the summer term following the end of the two year balancing period. It is agreed that the parties do not wish to reduce (deduct) from a faculty member's contract as it will impact STRS and potentially other matters. Therefore, a faculty member may agree to make up the imbalance the following contract year by mutual agreement of all applicable signatories below.

Faculty	Member	Printed/	Typed	Name
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Employee ID Number

For the two-year load balancing period from Fall _____ - Spring _____, my instructional load was as follows:

Comentar	Instructional Load		
Semester	FTE	Formula Hours	
Fall			
Spring			
Fall			
Spring			
TOTAL			

The balance of ______ formula hours (60 formula hours less total formula hour load above) agreed to be added to my Fall / Spring _____ instructional schedule.

Comments: ____

Faculty Member Signature

Department Chair Signature (if applicable)

Dean Signature

Date

Date

Date

Date

Vice President, Instruction, Signature

This completed form is to be duplicated for all signatories and one copy forwarded to Human Resources which will be placed in the employee's official personnel file.