## **OREGON INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

## Financial Exigency OIT-45-010

In the event of financial exigency and subsequent need for program or departmental reduction or elimination, the President, with input from the Vice Presidents and Deans will make a tentative plan regarding the number of positions and programs or departments to be reduced or eliminated. The President will publish among the faculty the tentative plan, along with a statement of the criteria used to develop the tentative plan.

Faculty members and the Faculty Senate will be requested to submit alternative recommendations to meet the reduction requirements. The President will present the tentative plan, along with viable alternatives from faculty members and the Senate to the Vice Presidents, Deans, and Department Chairs, and allow them a reasonable period of time in which to submit statements concerning impact of the proposals on the programs and departments.

After considering the impact statements and all other recommendations, the President will issue a final decision regarding program or department reductions, which will be submitted to the State Board of Higher Education for its approval.

Recommended by:

Faculty Senate Executive Committee – 7/9/81

Approved: Kenneth F. Light, President

Date: July 15, 1981