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AGENDA ITEM: 7

ITEM IDENTIFICATION:

Election Guidelines 2008: Joint Statement on Campaigning in Residences

JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:

Section 5.6 of the Terms of Reference of the University Affairs Board provides that the Board approves editorial or updating amendments to the *Election Guidelines*.

PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:

The University Affairs Board approved the *Election Guidelines 2008* on November 6, 2007. At that time, the Board had been informed that once a joint statement on campaigning in residences for Governing Council elections had been prepared by the Deans of the University's residences, the statement would be considered by the Elections Committee and appended to the *Election Guidelines 2008*.

HIGHLIGHTS:

The *Joint Statement on Campaigning in Residences* is provided for information to the Board in the attached memorandum from the Council of Deans of Students and Deans of Residence.

FINANCIAL AND/OR PLANNING IMPLICATIONS:

n/a

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.