

**Proposed Changes to  
Faculty-Staff Handbook Section 3170 – Professional Ethics**

Reasons for the changes:

The Regents created a new section to their personnel policies entitled “Conflict of Interest and Ethical Conduct.” This new policy is applicable to all employees of the university. The new policy affects many aspects of several policies in the Faculty-Staff Handbook. The initial suggestion is that we add a new paragraph to inform people of these requirements and providing a link to the policy.

In the long term it is recommended that the Faculty Council consider whether it is time to revisit its own statements on ethical and professional conduct issues by looking at all of the polices that deal with professional conduct.

**The proposal is:**

1. to immediately provide a statement and link to the Regents policy in the current handbook section
2. refer this matter to the Faculty Affairs Committee for consideration in the Fall of 2002

Added Statement:

A. In addition to the requirements set forth below, all employees of the UI are also subject to the Conflict of Interest and Ethical Conduct Policy of the Regents RGPIIQ. This policy can be reviewed at the following website: <http://www.sde.id.us/osbe/policy.htm>