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1.14 Committee System

The following governance document was adopted by Nicholls State University Administration and Faculty on May 1990. (Official operational date: October 1990. Amended or emended: May, 1992, May 1993, May 1996.)

This transcription of the Governance Document retains the structural and linguistic integrity of the original. Sections in this *Manual* transcription, however, are by necessity numbered differently from those in the original Governance Document.

Governance is the shared responsibility of all members of the University Community. To fulfill this responsibility, faculty and administration agree to establish collaborative bodies known as Academic Standing Committees, which are charged to perform specific governance duties requiring faculty and administration involvement. In addition, University Standing Committees are established to conduct other University activities. The faculty will also establish its own governance bodies known as Faculty Senate Standing Committees.