CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE
UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION, INC.

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING DEVELOPMENT AND SIGNATURE
PROCEDURE

SUBJECT: All USU Memorandum of Understandings must be signed, dated, and
contain the appropriate language pertaining to description of services,
payment for services, term and renewal.

REFERENCE: CSUN Memorandum – Process for Creation of Memorandums of
Understandings – 3/1999
CSUN Memorandum – Memorandums of Understandings (MOU) – 7/1999
CSUN Memorandum – Campus Policy Regarding MOUs – 4/2004

ATTACHMENT: MOU Log
USU MOU Model
CSUN University Controller Memorandum of Understanding model
http://www-admn.csun.edu/controller/mou.htm

PROCEDURE: The appropriate USU Management Team Member (Executive Director,
Associate Director Operation & Services, Associate Director Marketing &
Programs, Associate Director Finance & Business Services) will verify
that all USU Memorandum of Understandings are signed and dated and
contain the appropriate language pertaining to description of services,
payment for services, term and renewal.

1. Appropriate USU Management Team Member to verify that all
Memorandum of Understandings contain language clearly defining the
description of services, compensation, term and renewal options, if any.

2. Appropriate USU Management Team Member will use the “USU
Memorandum of Understanding Log” to monitor all Memorandum of
Understandings and corresponding term expiration dates, if any.

3. Appropriate USU Management Team Member will ensure that any renewal
of Memorandum of Understandings is fully executed prior to the current
term expiration date.

4. USU Memorandum of Understandings do not have insurance requirements
because they are agreements between campus enterprises, auxiliaries, and/or
affiliated campus organizations. For the same reason, USU Memorandum of
Understandings should be written to be easily understood by both parties and should avoid legal “jargon”.

5. When preparing new or renewing Memorandum of Understandings for execution, the appropriate USU Management Team Member will verify that they contain language that clearly indentify the following:

   a. Description of services
   b. Payment for services
   c. Term
   d. Renewal

6. When preparing new or renewing Memorandum of Understandings for execution, the appropriate USU Management Team Member will arrange for them to be signed and dated in the following order by authorized representatives:

   a. Other party – Director/General Manager/etc.
   b. USU – Executive Director or designee

APPROVED BY: ____________________________ DATE: _________________

Debra L. Hammond, Executive Director
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