

Osgoode Hall Law School
of York University

Meeting of Faculty Council

March 19, 2007

Notice of Motion, As Amended

On behalf of the Admissions Committee, **moved** by Associate Dean Allan Hutchinson, seconded by Morris Popowich, **that** Faculty Council approve the following proposals to modify the policies and procedures of the law school's admissions process:

1. that a Mission Statement be approved to inform and guide the detailed development and administration of the admission process;
2. that there be only two Categories of admission into the law school – a General Category and an Aboriginal Category;
3. that ordinarily the minimum number of years of university study that an applicant must complete prior to admission be increased from two years (60 credits) to three years (90 credits);
4. that an Equity Floor be established each year to ensure that the entering class is at least as talented, diverse and equity-responsive as in previous years;
5. that there is an Annual Report to Faculty Council by the Admissions Committee and that there is a full three-year review of any changes to the admissions process.