ARTICLE 46. DEFINITIONS

As used in this Agreement:

“Academic year” means, generally, the period from September 16th through the date of commencement the following June.

“Career” means faculty in the Career classification.

“Days” means calendar days, unless expressly stated otherwise in the applicable Article.

“Department or unit” means the lowest level academic subdivision to which a faculty member is appointed. A bargaining unit faculty member’s department or unit, for example, could be a school or college, or a department or unit within a school or college. If a bargaining unit faculty member performs work for more than one department or unit, their “department or unit” for purposes of this Agreement is the one to which the faculty member is officially appointed.

“Department or unit head” means the person immediately in charge of a bargaining unit faculty member’s department or unit. For example, the “department or unit head” could be a program head, department head, dean, or vice president, depending on the circumstances.

“Fiscal year” means the 12-month period from July 1 through June 30 of the following year.

“Fixed Term” means faculty in the Visiting, Pro Tempore, Postdoctoral Scholar, Post Baccalaureate Scholar, and Retired classifications.

“NTTF” means faculty in Non-Tenure Track Faculty classifications.

“TTF” means faculty in the Tenure-Track and Tenured classification.

“OUS” means Oregon University System.