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President Erskine B. Bowles The University of North Carolina General Administration P. O. Box 2688 Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27515-2688

Dear President Bowles:

Enclosed is a petition for the planned political activities of Professor Paul Luebke, an incumbent member of the North Carolina House of Representatives, during the fall 2006 semester. Chancellor Patricia A. Sullivan and I support this petition, and it has been endorsed by Professor Luebke's dean and department head. Please let me know if you require additional information prior to presenting this petition to the Board of Governors.

Sincerely,

A. Edward Uprichard

Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

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c: Chancellor Patricia A. Sullivan
Mr. L. Bart Corgnati
Ms. Leslie Winner
Dean Timothy D. Johnston
Professor J. Stephen Kroll-Smith
Dr. Paul Luebke
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# **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Chancellor Patricia Sullivan

FROM:

The Undersigned

DATE:

April 7, 2006

We support the attached petition of Dr. Paul Luebke to continue full-time academic service during Fall 2006 in the Department of Sociology while maintaining his membership in the North Carolina House of Representatives.

Steve Krolf-Smith, Head, Department of Sociology

Timothy D. Johnston, Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

A. Edward Uprichard, Provost



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April 7, 2006

The Board of Governors
The University of North Carolina
Post Office Box 2688
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27515

#### Dear Board Members:

I have reviewed with Professor Luebke his job responsibilities for Fall 2006. I have concluded that his primary election and minor legislative service will not interfere with satisfactory performance of his regular, full-time duties here. This is in accord with previous approvals granted Professor Luebke.

A full or partial leave of absence would be neither desirable nor necessary.

Sincerely,

Steve Kroll-Smith, Head Sociology Department

# PETITION REGARDING POLITICAL ACTIVITY

FROM:

Name:

Dr. Paul Luebke

Institution:

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

**Position Held:** 

Associate Professor of Sociology

TO:

Committee on University Governance

**UNC Board of Governors** c/o Office of the President The University of North Carolina

**Post Office Box 2688** 

Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27515-2688

SUBJECT: Request for review of proposed political candidacy or officeholding

A. In accordance with The University of North Carolina policy regarding political activities of its employees, this petition concerns:

( ) My intention to campaign for election to a full-time or major part-time political office

Title of Office:

North Carolina House of Representatives

Primary or General Election Date: General: November 2006

Period of Proposed Campaign Activity:

Fall 2006

My intention to occupy a full-time or major part-time political office, either elective or (XX) appointive

Title of Office:

North Carolina House of Representatives

Term of Office:

2005-06

Period of Employment Affected: Fall 2006

- B. With respect to my candidacy for election to political office, I request permission:
  - (X) To maintain my full-time University employment while campaigning; in support of my request, I have provided/attached:
    - A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the 1. affected period of employment (Attachment A)
    - An explanation of proposed campaign activity, demonstrating how such activity will be 2. limited to available personal time, so as not to interfere with the satisfactory performance of full-time employment responsibilities (Attachment B)
    - 3. The written concurrence of my supervisors and the Chancellor in the conclusion that engagement in campaign activities will not interfere with the satisfactory performance of my full-time employment responsibilities

		1.	A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment (Attachment A)
		2.	An explanation of proposed campaign activity (Attachment B)
		3.	Identification of those employment responsibilities that I propose not to meet, consistent with such a partial leave of absence, and calculation of percentage reduction in employment time (Attachment C)
		4.	Assurances by my supervisors and the Chancellor that granting such a leave is practicable and that alternative arrangements can be made to insure performance by others of the employment responsibilities for which I otherwise would be responsible.
	()	take	y request to maintain full-time employment or to be granted a partial leave is denied, to a full leave of absence, without pay, for the period (dates of e); in support of my request, I have provided/attached:
		1.	A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment (Attachment A)
		2.	Assurances by my supervisors and the Chancellor that granting such a leave is practicable and that alternative arrangements can be made to insure performance by others of the employment responsibilities for which I otherwise would be responsible.
C.	Wi	ith res	spect to my occupancy of a full-time public office:
() I request permission to be granted a full leave of absence, without pay, as disting resigning my University employment; I understand that the maximum period of allowed by University policy is two years; in support of my request, I have provided/attached:			
		1.	A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment (Attachment A)
		2.	Assurances by my supervisors and the Chancellor that granting such a leave is practicable and that alternative arrangements can be made to insure performance by others of the employment responsibilities for which I otherwise would be responsible.
D.	Wi	th res	spect to my occupancy of a major part-time office, I request permission:
	(X)		maintain my full-time University employment while holding office; in support of my est I have provided/attached:

A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the

An explanation of the time requirements associated with holding the public office,

demonstrating how such activity will be limited to available personal time, so as not to interfere with the satisfactory performance of my full-time employment responsibilities

affected period of employment (Attachment A)

( ) If my request to maintain full-time employment is denied, to take a partial leave of absence, with corresponding reduction in pay, for the period \_\_\_\_\_\_ (dates of leave);

in support of my request, I have provided/attached:

1.

2.

(Attachment D)

- 3. The written concurrence of my supervisors and the Chancellor in the conclusion that the time requirements associated with holding the public office will not interfere with the satisfactory performance of my full-time employment responsibilities.
- () If my request to maintain full-time employment is denied, to take a partial leave of absence, with corresponding reduction in pay, for the period of officeholding; in support of my request, I have provided/attached:
  - 1. A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment (Attachment A)
  - 2. An explanation of the time requirements associated with holding the public office (Attachment D)
  - 3. Identification of those employment responsibilities that I propose not to meet, consistent with such a partial leave of absence, and calculation of percentage reduction in employment time (Attachment C)
  - 4. Assurances by my supervisors and the Chancellor that granting such leave is practicable and that alternative arrangements can be made to insure performance by others of the employment responsibilities for which I otherwise would be responsible.
- () If my request to maintain full-time employment or to be granted a partial leave is denied, to take full leave of absence, without pay, for the period \_\_\_\_\_\_ (dates of leave); in support of my request, I have provided/attached:
  - 1. A detailed account of my anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment (Attachment A)
  - 2. Assurances by my supervisors and the Chancellor that granting such leave is practicable and that alternative arrangements can be made to insure performance by others of the employment responsibilities for which I would otherwise be responsible.
- E. With respect to any request embodied in this petition, the petitioner should offer any additional explanation or information that in his or her judgment would assist supervisors, the Chancellor, or the Board of Governors in making a decision whether to grant the request.

Saul Fulle Signature of Petitioner

**Date Submitted** 

4/18/06

April 6,2006

Date received by Chancellor

Signature of Chancellor

April 19, 2006

Date Submitted to Office of the President

Signature of Secretary of the University

4/28/06
Date received by Secretary

#### Petition Attachment A

Detailed account of anticipated normal employment responsibilities during the affected period of employment; the information to be provided presupposes a standard eight-hour work day and a forty-hour work week and requires a demonstration of how that amount of employment time is accounted for and scheduled; the petitioner may supplement this form with a narrative account that further explains employment obligations and time commitments.

Dr. Paul Luebke	Fall 2006				
Name of Petitioner	Employment	Period Affected			
Non-faculty employees (for those employees who regularly follow a standard eight-hour day and forty-hour week)					
Length of required work day (number o	of hours):				
Hours of work: from a.m. to _	p.m.				
Days of Week to Which Scheduled Wor	rk Applies:				
Faculty employees (and other employees who do not necessarily follow a standard schedule of eight-hour days and forty-hour weeks)					
<u>Duties</u>	Hours per Week (Average)	% of Total			
Teaching (classroom,					
laboratory, etc.)	3	6			
Instructional preparation	6	12			
Counseling students	12	22			
Other instructional responsibilities					
Evaluating student performance	6	12			
Research and writing	12	22			
Institutional committee service	3	6			
Administrative service					
Current professional development	10	20			
Other (Specify):					
Totals:	52	100%			
	Name of Petitioner  Non-faculty employees (for those employers) Length of required work day (number of Hours of work: from a.m. to Days of Week to Which Scheduled Work  Faculty employees (and other employee eight-hour days and forty-hour weeks)  Duties  Teaching (classroom, laboratory, etc.)  Instructional preparation  Counseling students  Other instructional responsibilities  Evaluating student performance  Research and writing  Institutional committee service  Administrative service  Current professional development  Other (Specify):	Name of Petitioner  Non-faculty employees (for those employees who regularly follow a state forty-hour week)  Length of required work day (number of hours):  Hours of work: from a.m. to p.m.  Days of Week to Which Scheduled Work Applies:  Faculty employees (and other employees who do not necessarily follow eight-hour days and forty-hour weeks)  Duties			

## Petition Attachment B

# Explanation of nature, extent, and schedule of proposed campaign activity

I am running unopposed in the November 2006 election. There will be no campaign that could conflict with my UNCG responsibilities.

Petition Attachment C					
Identification of employment responsibilities not to be performed pursuant to partial leave of absence					
Duties to be eliminated or reduced	Hours Per Week (Average)				
Totals:	Hours/Week				

Note: Policies of the Board of Governors do not permit partial or full leaves of absence, for a portion of a semester, that would affect adversely the instructional services available to students, e.g., substituting another instructor for the petitioner to teach a course for a portion of the academic term (as distinguished from such substitution for a full term).

Percentage reduction in weekly employment time:

### Petition Attachment D

## Explanation of nature, extent, and schedule of required duties as officeholder

The General Assembly is expected to adjourn in mid-July. Should that not be the case, I will only attend legislative sessions if they do not interfere with my UNCG teaching responsibilities.

When the General Assembly adjourns, no additional legislative meetings are expected during the Fall semester.