

Article ___: Labor-Management Committee

Section 1. To facilitate communication between the parties a Labor-Management Committee shall be established by mutual agreement of the Association and the Oregon Tech. The Committee shall be composed of the Association's Officers and three (3) members chosen by the Oregon Tech President. The Committee shall meet at the request of either party and discuss only those items that appear on a jointly prepared written agenda developed in advance of any meetings.

Section 2. The Labor-Management Committee may, upon agreement of the parties, create and assign tasks to sub-committees comprised equally of Association and Oregon Tech representatives.

Section 3. The parties understand and agree that meetings held as provided in Sections 1 and 3 of this Article shall not contravene any provision of this Agreement nor constitute or be used for the purpose of contract negotiations. Neither shall such meetings be used in lieu of the grievance procedure provided for in Article ___: Grievances.

Section 4. Oregon Tech and the Association agree to meet when both parties agree that an issue warrants such a meeting. The parties agree that such a meeting shall not constitute or be used for the purpose of contractual negotiations. Neither shall such meetings be used in lieu of this Agreement's grievance procedure.

*Oregon Tech reserves the right to add to, modify, or amend proposals during the course of negotiations.