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**Amendment A to University Policy S15-10, Revisions to SJSU
Library Policy**

Amends: S15-10

Legislative History:

At its meeting of December 11, 2017, the Academic Senate approved the following policy recommendation presented by Chair Taylor for the University Library Board. This amendment removes language specifying location of the reference desk in Section 5.1 of S15-10.

**Approved and signed by
Mary A. Papazian, President,
San José State University on
December 19, 2017.**

Whereas: University library policy is drafted to support the curricular and research needs of the University; and

Whereas: The library needs the flexibility to modify service delivery to ensure quality and effectiveness based on the evolving nature of librarianship and service to all users. That may require multiple locations or changing locations over time.

Resolved S15-10 Section 5.1 be amended to remove language specifying location of the reference desk, as follows:

5.1 General Faculty and Staff Support. The academic mission of the Library shall be advanced by specialized practices unique to a University or an academic library setting, whenever such practices are customary in libraries of institutions of higher education. Library faculty and staff will be enabled to carry out academically oriented functions and shall not merge unique academic functions and practices with the City Library. The City and University will share delivery of basic reference services. ~~through a common service area on the second floor.~~

Approved: December 4, 2017
Vote: 8-0
Present: Cabrera, Megwalu, Tian, Taylor, Sasikumar, Bodart, Gayle,
Borchard
Absent: Khavul, Lee, Smith
Financial Impact: None
Workload Impact: None