E-mail text from February 11, 2016 from Senate Chair to College Representatives on SEC regarding Soliciting Faculty Feedback about Desirable Characteristics and Qualities in the next President (other members of SEC were ccd in this e-mail):

College representatives on SEC:

As you know, at the February SEC meeting, Faculty Regent, Barbara Burch requested input from Senate regarding qualities and characteristics faculty would like to have in the next president of WKU. Dr. Burch will share this input with the search committee. Per our discussion, we agreed that the college representatives on the SEC would contact departmental senators to solicit feedback.

Below is text you can use when contacting departmental senators in your college and asking them to solicit feedback from their department. The link to college departmental senators is on the Senate website (upper left corner):

http://www.wku.edu/senate/documents/departmental-senators-10-15-new.pdf

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

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(text which can be pasted into e-mails to departmental senators for your college follows...)

Dear Senators:

At the February SEC meeting, Faculty Regent, Barbara Burch requested input from Senate regarding qualities and characteristics faculty would like to have in the next president of WKU. The SEC decided to ask college representatives on SEC to contact departmental senators from their college to solicit feedback. The search committee for the new president will be determined on Friday 2/12/2016; Regent Burch anticipates that the committee will consist of all elected regents (faculty regent, student regent, staff regent) plus 4-6 additional people. The search process won't start immediately, but the sooner comments are compiled and forwarded the better. Please solicit feedback from colleagues in your department. Comments, which may be anonymous, can either be sent directly to Faculty Regent Barbara Burch OR to you and you can forward to Regent Burch. She will share the information she receives with the search committee.

Thank you for your assistance with this important matter.

Sincerely,