POLICY 1.16 – Policy on Smoking

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POLICY

1.00 Smoking is not permitted in University buildings, or within 10 metres of building entrances, loading docks, and fresh air intakes (including windows that open), or in university vehicles, or in any areas designated by Western as non-smoking or "Clear Air Corridors".

2.00 Violators of this policy will be informed by the Dean, budget head, Manager and/or Supervisor that they are in violation, given a copy of this policy, and informed that such behaviour must cease.

3.00 Continued violation of this policy will lead to disciplinary action as outlined in the policies applicable to the various University groups or as provided for within applicable provincial legislation or municipal by-laws.

4.00 The smoking restrictions described in this policy are also applicable to the use of electronic smoking devices.