110-4 **Definitions**

(10) **Domestic Partner**

A domestic partner means the individual designated as an appointee's domestic partner under one of the following methods: (i) registration of the partnership with the State of California; (ii) establishment of a same-sex legal union, other than marriage, formed in another jurisdiction that is substantially equivalent to a State of California-registered domestic partnership; or (iii) filing of a Declaration of Domestic Partnership form with the University. If an individual has not been designated as an appointee's domestic partner by any of the foregoing methods, the following criteria are applicable in defining domestic partner: each individual is the other's sole domestic partner in a long-term, committed relationship with the intention to remain so indefinitely; neither individual is legally married, a partner in another domestic partnership, or related by blood to a degree of closeness that would prohibit legal marriage in the State of California; each individual is 18 years of age or older and capable of consenting to the relationship; the individuals share a common residence; and the individuals are financially interdependent.

~~(10)~~ (11) **Eleven-Month Appointment**

See the definition, *Fiscal-Year Appointment.*

~~(11)~~ (12) **Emeritus**

An honorary title conferred, upon retirement, on certain academic appointees.