ARTICLE IV - SUPPLEMENTAL BENEFITS AND HOLIDAYS

G. TUITION WAIVER AND TUITION REMISSION

1. Tuition and Fees Waiver

The following tuition and fees waiver provisions shall be of application during the term of this Agreement.

Any member of the bargaining unit, and/or The spouse and/or child or children, including any such adopted or stepchild or children, of any present, former, retired or deceased member of the bargaining unit represented by the Massachusetts Teachers Association/NEA, who, after the date of execution of this Agreement, shall have been admitted as a student in the regular day program, or in any program of Continuing Education, at any Massachusetts State University, shall be entitled to enroll as a student in such program without the payment of tuition and fees.

In addition, any member of the bargaining unit who shall have been admitted as a student at any institution of public higher education in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, excluding the program for the Doctorate of Medicine at the University of Massachusetts Medical School, shall be entitled to matriculate as a student without the payment of any tuition; provided, however, that in the case of any course in any program of Continuing Education tuition shall be remitted in the amount of fifty percent (50%) thereof.

2. Tuition Remission

The following tuition remission provisions shall be of application during the term of this Agreement.

The parties agree to continue in effect the present policy of the Board of Higher Education, acting through the Commissioner, regarding tuition remission applicable to all unit members, their spouses and dependent children. Such policy shall provide for full tuition remission credits in all institutions of public higher education in the Commonwealth exclusive of the University of Massachusetts Medical School, and shall, additionally, make provision for fifty percent (50%) tuition remission in courses in continuing education.