## UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE

University Statutes and Senate Procedures (Second Reading; Action)

SP.18.12 Proposed Revision to the *Constitution*, Article I, Section 5 and the *Bylaws*, Part A

## BACKGROUND

The Senate Committee on University Statutes and Senate Procedures (SP) recommends that the quorum provision be moved from the *Constitution*, Article I, Section 5 to our *Bylaws*, Part A. This change would bring our governing documents in line with those from the Chicago and Springfield Senates which specify their respective quorums in their *Bylaws*.

## RECOMMENDATION

The Senate Committee on University Statutes and Senate Procedures recommends approval of the following revisions to the *Constitution* and the *Bylaws*. The revision to the *Bylaws* will not become effective until the revision to the *Constitution* is approved by the Board of Trustees. Text to be added is <u>underscored</u> and text to be deleted is <del>struck through</del>.

## **PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE I, SECTION 5**

Section 5. A quorum necessary for a Senate meeting shall consist of 100 senators elected and serving.
PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE BYLAWS, PART A
3. A quorum necessary for a Senate meeting shall consist of 100 senators elected and serving.
The remainder of Part A shall be renumbered.

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