

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE  
COMMITTEE ON UNIVERSITY STATUTES AND SENATE PROCEDURES  
(Final; Action)

SP.21.07 Revision to the *Bylaws*, Part D.12 – Committee on General University Policy

**BACKGROUND**

The Senate Committee on General University Policy (GP) recommends a revision to its duties to codify GP's role of providing feedback on substantive revisions to the Provost's Communications.

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Senate Committee on University Statutes and Senate Procedures recommends the approval of the following revisions to the *Bylaws*. Text to be deleted is ~~struck through~~ and text to be added is underlined. Adoption of amendments to the *Bylaws* requires a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

**REVISION TO THE BYLAWS, PART D.12 – Committee on General University Policy**

- 1 a. Duties
- 2 The Committee shall:
- 3 1. After such consultation with other committees as it deems appropriate,
- 4 study, report, and make recommendations to the Senate concerning general
- 5 university policy governing such matters as:
- 6 a. size and composition of the student body;
- 7 b. policies relevant to faculty concerns in consultation with the Office of the
- 8 Provost;
- 9 c. budget trends ~~as~~ related to the quality of the university and its capability
- 10 to satisfy public demands;
- 11 d. educational policy related to creation, combination, changes in affiliation
- 12 or abolition of departments, centers, divisions, institutes, colleges,
- 13 campuses and similar educational, research and public-service units;
- 14 e. allocation of resources among such units and methods employed by
- 15 administrative officials in making such allocations; and

- 16 f. formulation of policy in anticipation of major societal changes.
- 17 2. Provide input on substantive revisions to the Provost's Communications,
- 18 while consulting with other Senate committees and recommending wider
- 19 Senate input where appropriate; and
- 20 23. Monitor the following specific topics:
- 21 a. data on background check to identify any consequences of the
- 22 background check process, and
- 23 b. number of non-tenure\_system faculty and proportion of non-tenure-
- 24 system faculty multi-year contracts as described in the *Statutes*, Article X,
- 25 Section 1.

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