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THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE
BILL


Adopted by the Faculty Senate

TO: President Edward D. Eddy

FROM: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled Changes in the UNIVERSITY MANUAL
Relative to the University Calendar, is forwarded for your
consideration.
2. The original and two copies for your use are included.
3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on April 27, 1989.
(date)
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval
or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of
Governors, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
5. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By- Laws,
this bill will become effective May 18, 1989,
three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for
implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved;
(3) you forward it to the Board of Governors for their approval; or (4)
the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is
forwarded to the Board of Governors, it will not become effective until
approved by the Board.

April 28, 1989
(date)



C. B. Peters
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

Returned.

- a. Approved .
- b. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Governors _____.
- c. Disapproved _____.

9/5/89
(date)



President

THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

CHANGES IN THE UNIVERSITY MANUAL RELATIVE TO THE UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

At the April 13, 1989 meeting of the Faculty Senate, the University Calendar for 1990-91 recommended by the Academic Standards and Calendar Committee in its Report #88-89-2B was approved. Immediately after the Faculty Senate meeting, however, it was determined that aspects of the approved University Calendar were in conflict with regulations in the UNIVERSITY MANUAL.

Since the proposed 1990-91 Calendar is in conflict with the UNIVERSITY MANUAL, it has not been forwarded to the President for approval. If the Faculty Senate wishes to adopt the calendar approved on April 13, the changes in the UNIVERSITY MANUAL must be approved as well.

Therefore, the Executive Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following amendments to the UNIVERSITY MANUAL:

- A. Revise the next to the last sentence of section 8.54.10 to read:

If the final examination period ends within 48 hours of December 25, the deadline for submitting grades shall be extended **one working day** after December 25.

- B. Revise section 8.70.22 to read:

8.70.22 A minimum of two **week-day** reading days will be scheduled after the last day of classes.

- C. Revise section 8.70.25 to read:

8.70.25 Classes will not be scheduled on the following days:

Labor Day
Thanksgiving Day and the day following
Christmas Day
New Year's Day
Memorial Day
Independence Day

Classes may be scheduled on the following holidays only under exceptional circumstances in order to assure the academic integrity of the University Calendar:

Columbus Day
Election Day (when the Governor is elected)
Veterans' Day
Martin Luther King's Birthday
George Washington's Birthday