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UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND Kingston, Rhode Island FACULTY SENATE BILL Adopted by the Faculty Senate

President Robert L. Carothers TO:

Chairperson of the Faculty Senate FROM:

1. The attached BILL, titled The Three Hundred and Fifty-Fourth

Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

is forwarded for your consideration.

- The original and two copies for your use are included. 2.
- This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on October 23, 3. 1997.
- After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval 4. 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 November 13, 1997, 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.

October 24, 1997 (date)

Marian R. Goldsmith Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

Returned.

- Approved 1. a.
- Approved subject to final approval by Board of Governors . b.

Disapproved ____. C.

10.29,97 (date) President

Form revised 9/91

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE

October 8, 1997

Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee Three Hundred and Fifty-Fourth Report

At the October 6, 1997 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Matters

A. College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures - German

CHANGE: Expiration for GER 310X, German Across the Curriculum, to permit a third offering in spring 1998.

B. College of Resource Development

Department of Geology

CHANGE: Method of instruction for GEL 320 and GEL 321 to "(Lec. 3, Lab. 2)."

SECTION II

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate.

- A. College of Arts and Sciences
 - 1. Department of Chemistry
 - CHANGE: Requirements for the B.S. degree in chemistry by replacing PHY 213, 285, 214, 286 with PHY 203, 273, 204, 274, 205, and 275.
 - 2. Department of English
 - ADD: ENG 396 Literature of the Sea: The Rumowicz Seminar (I and II, 3) Poetry and prose of the sea. Guest lecturers and field trips. (Lec. 3) Schoonover

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B. College of Business Administration

Department of Management

- CHANGE: Requirement for Management and General Business Administration majors by replacing "must include" with "are encouraged to include" before the following: "Three to six credits of internship, a three-credit course in community service or another three credit course outside the department of Management that offers collaborative experience, a study abroad experience, or a minor."
- C. College of Engineering
 - 1. Engineering

DELETE: The following courses:

- 1) EGR 101 Introduction to Engineering (I or II, 3)
- 2) EGR 102 Basic Graphics (I, 1)
- 2. Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

CHANGE: Curriculum for B.S. degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering by requiring CVE 466 and increasing the number of credits for the degree to "131." (See Section III, B)

SECTION III

Joint Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee and Graduate Council on 400-Level Courses.

At the October 6, 1997 meeting of the Curricular Affairs Committee and the September 26, 1997 meeting of the Graduate Council, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Matters

*1. College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Biological Sciences

CHANGE: Title for BIO 465 to "Biology of Algae."

*Approved by the Graduate Council and Curricular Affairs Committee in January 1997 and inadvertently omitted from the 347th Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

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**2. College of Resource Development

Department of Plant Sciences

CHANGE: Description for PLS 478X by adding "May be repeated for a maximum of 3 credits."

B. Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

College of Engineering

Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

ADD: CVE 466 Structural Concrete Laboratory (I and II, 1) Laboratory on structural concrete and construction technology involved in the materials aspects of the use of concrete. Cement properties, mix design, testing of fresh and hardened concrete, admixtures, reinforcement, concrete failure. (Lab. 3) Pre: 465 or concurrent enrollment in 465. Not for graduate credit in Civil and Environmental Engineering. McEwen, Tsiatas

**No action by the Graduate Council. Not for graduate credit.