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Report of the Executive Committee on Amendment to section 2.14.10 of the University Manual.

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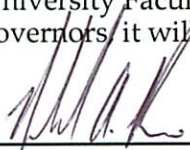
Faculty Senate

Serial Number #05-06--34

TO: President Robert L. Carothers
FROM: Michael A. Rice, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

- 1. The attached BILL, titled Report of the Executive Committee on Amendment to section 2.14.10 of the University Manual, 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 May 11, 2006.
- 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 June 1, 2006 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.

May 22, 2006
(date)



Michael A. Rice
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

5/19/06
(date)



President

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
FACULTY SENATE

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
April 27, 2006

At the April 20, 2006 meeting of the Faculty Senate, the Executive Committee's recommendation for revisions to section 2.14.10 were referred back to the Executive Committee with instructions. After consulting with the Constitution, By-Laws and University Manual Committee, the FSEC recommends 1) that the parenthetical statement "(which are available from the Affirmative Action Office)" be deleted and "at least seven" be replaced by "five to seven."

The proposed revised 2.14.10 reads as follows:

Proposed Section 2.14.10
New portion is in **boldface**
Deleted portion has ~~strike~~through

2.14.10 Appointment of Administrative Officers. Whenever an administrative officer position becomes vacant there will be a search conducted by the department or division, in compliance with the Affirmative Action Hiring Procedures ~~(which are available from the Affirmative Action Office)~~. The department or division head shall appoint a search committee. This committee shall be comprised of ~~at least~~ **five to seven** members of the academic community. Search committees for academic administrative positions and Vice Presidents shall include two faculty members appointed by the Faculty Senate. Search committees shall be appointed following University Affirmative Action guidelines. Committee membership may be enlarged when wider representation of interest is desirable. The appointment of the President is regulated by the Education Act of 1981 (see Appendix A section 1.6).