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UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
FACULTY SENATE
BILL
Adopted by the Faculty Senate

TO: President Werner A. Baum
FROM: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

1. The Attached BILL, titled Change in Election of Officers of Senate in Case of Vacancy 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 March 19, 1970.

4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Trustees, completing the appropriate endorsement below.

5. In accordance with Section 8, paragraph 2 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective on April 9, 1970, 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 Trustees for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Trustees, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

March 20, 1970
Chairman of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate
FROM: President of the University

1. Returned.

2. Approved ______ Disapproved ______

3. (If approved) In my opinion, transmittal to the Board of Trustees is not necessary.

President

Form approved 11/65
ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.
TO: Chairman of the Board of Trustees.
FROM: The University President
1. Forwarded.
2. Approved.

(date) President

ENDORSEMENT 2.
TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate
FROM: Chairman of the Board of Trustees, via the University President.
1. Forwarded.

(date) Office

ENDORSEMENT 3.
TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate
FROM: The University President
1. Forwarded from the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

(date) President

Original received and forwarded to the Secretary of the Senate and Registrar for filing in the Archives of the University.

(date) Chairman of the Faculty Senate
A. Vote on recommendations of Constitution and By-Laws Committee to change By-Laws of Senate as follows:

1. Modify Section 5.4, Paragraph 4 (Faculty Manual, 9th Edition, page 93) to read as follows:

5.4 Should a vacancy occur in the Executive Committee two months or more before the annual election, it shall be filled at the next regular Senate meeting by an election held in the same manner as the regular election of officers, except that the Executive Committee shall act as nominating committee.

2. Add a new paragraph 5.5, as follows:

5.5 Should a vacancy occur in the vice chairmanship, the Executive Committee shall name an eligible member of its body to perform the vice chairman's duties for the remainder of the unexpired term. The ensuing vacancy in the Executive Committee shall then be filled according to the provisions of Section 5.4.

3. Add a new paragraph 5.6, as follows:

5.6 Should a vacancy occur in the chairmanship, the vice chairman shall succeed to that position for the remainder of the unexpired term, and the Executive Committee shall name an eligible member of its body to perform the vice chairman's duties for the same period. The ensuing vacancy in the Executive Committee shall then be filled according to the provisions of Section 5.4.