

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK

TRANSMITTAL OF FACULTY SENATE LEGISLATION

(Faculty Senate legislation is to be submitted to the chancellor to approve or disapprove within *ten calendar days* of the Faculty Senate action. The chancellor may approve or veto any Faculty Senate legislation within a period from the *eleventh through the twenty-fifth calendar day* after such action has been presented, unless the Assembly has been petitioned to amend or rescind the Faculty Senate legislation. In the latter case, the chancellor's approval or veto shall be made no later than fifteen calendar days after the Assembly has voted on and failed to approve a motion to amend or rescind a legislative action of the Faculty Senate. The chancellor shall provide written reasons for a veto to the Faculty Senate.)

To the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock:

The following resolution/legislation passed the UALR Faculty Senate on November 20, 2015.

Motion FS_2015_34. Executive Committee (Legislation. 3/5 Majority Vote at One Meeting, no second required) Improve authority over off-season committee appointments

Whereas all appointments on Faculty Senate Committees are done at the end of the Spring term for the upcoming academic year by the Committee on Committees, and

Whereas the pending ruling on electronic meetings requires this large committee to meet in person, and

Whereas the current language requires vacancies to be filled by a college assembly meeting in the event of a college appointment, and


Whereas many appointments, such as staff members or at-large faculty members (e.g., AIGC) or Alumni cannot be filled by special election in the unit involved since there is no unit involved,

Therefore be it Resolved to amend Article III of the Constitution of the Assembly of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock (bylaws of the Faculty Senate) from

"Faculty vacancies on appointed Faculty Senate Committees shall be filled by special election in the unit involved."

To (underline indicates addition, strikethrough indicates deletion)

"Faculty Vacancies on appointed Faculty Senate Committees shall be filled by the Faculty Senate President in consultation with ~~special election in the unit involved~~ the college assembly, department faculty, staff senate, or whatever appropriate body is represented by the position."

Signature  (Faculty Senate President) Date 11/23/2015
Andrew Wright

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Received in chancellor's office on _____ (date)

Chancellor's Action:

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED
(reasons to be attached)

Chancellor's Signature 
Joel Anderson

Date Dec 15, 2015