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To: Bird-Pollan, Jennifer
Cc: Turner, Kirsten; Young, Marianne R.; Brothers, Sheila C.; McCormick, Katherine
Subject: RE: Request for two changes in Senate rules
Attachments: Senate Academic Advising Committee rule changes January 2020 003.docx

Dear Senate Chair Bird-Pollen:

This is to request changes in **Senate rule 1.4.3.5, Senate Academic Advising Committee (SacAC)** and Senate rule 1.4.3.4, Senate Retroactive Withdrawal Appeals Committee. A word document with tracked changes is attached. We request these changes be effective July 1, 2020.

The Provost gave direct oversight for university academic and career advising to the office of Student and Academic Support. By way of this new alignment, the Provost Committee on Advising was established. The Provost Committee on Advising is charged with creating a highly coordinated and integrated professional advising system with shared outcomes using strategic assessment to standardize processes and procedures which support student success. <https://www.uky.edu/sal/provosts-committee-advising>. The committee includes representation from each college academic advising office, each program advising area, and each career advising office. The Associate Deans of each College designated an advising leader to be on this committee. This group also serves as a resource to the campus community regarding advising-related issues and concerns and may make policy suggestions to the University Senate or other administrative bodies.

Therefore to align with the Provost's direction regarding oversight of advising, the Provost Committee on Advising should be listed as one of the official representatives for the two Senate committees listed on the attachment.

Best, Adrienne

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Rationale: To align with the Provost's direction regarding the oversight of University advising, we are requesting two changes to two Senate rules.

1.4.3.5 Senate Academic Advising Committee (SacAC)

[US 4/10/2000; 11/13/2017]

The SacAC shall consist of three elected faculty members from the University Senate who are currently advising students; three students (two student senators and one student at large) to be selected by the Senate Council upon the recommendation of the President of the Student Government Association; three professional advisors, selected by a process adopted by the UK Advising Network and the Senate Council; ~~by the UK Advisors Network~~ one member from ~~by the UK Provost Committee on Advising; and the Senate Council~~; and one ex officio member: the Associate Provost for Student and Academic Life. The committee shall:

1. Regularly review the effectiveness and accountability of academic advising throughout the University
2. Set standards for the quality of academic advising
3. Make recommendations to the Senate Council regarding academic advising
4. Advise the Senate Council about all recommendations or proposals to the Senate regarding academic advising. [4/10/2000]