TO:    Fort Wayne Senate

FROM: Educational Policy Committee
      James Toole, Chair

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SUBJ: Amendment to the Bylaws of the Fort Wayne Senate: Voting status change for the Chief Academic Officer (or designee) of the Curriculum Review Subcommittee

DISPOSITION: To the presiding officer for implementation

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Faculty of Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne states in section VI. Powers:

A. The Voting Faculty shall possess and exercise, collectively, all powers and responsibilities common to the separate faculties of Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne at the time this Constitution enters into force. These include the powers: . . .

4. To review and approve
   a. the titles of the academic degrees conferred at IPFW
   b. the general requirements for the curricula leading toward academic degrees or certificates
   c. the nomination of all candidates for degrees and certificates.

5. To present its views concerning any matter pertaining to the conduct and welfare of IPFW to the Presidents and Boards of Trustees of Indiana University and Purdue University.

B. Subject to the right of review by the Faculty through its governing body and the limitations which have been established to protect the interests of Indiana University or Purdue University, the power to review and approve academic degrees, to develop curriculum, instructional and examination procedures and undergraduate degree requirements, and to nominate candidates for these degrees is delegated to the school and division faculties, and the power to develop course content and new courses is delegated to the academic departments.

BE IT RESOLVED, that Section 5.3.3.7.1.3 of the Bylaws be amended as follows:

5.3.3.7 Curriculum Review Subcommittee
   5.3.3.7.1 Membership
      5.3.3.7.1.1 Elected members, elected to three-year terms by the Voting Faculty at large from among nominees elected by each School having Voting Faculty . . .
      5.3.3.7.1.2 Two nonvoting student members serving one-year terms, selected annually by IPSGA
      5.3.3.7.1.3 The Chief Academic Officer, or a designee, of IPFW also nonvoting.