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**UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE**  
COMMITTEE ON UNIVERSITY STATUTES AND SENATE PROCEDURES  
(Final; Action)

SP.24.06      Revision to the *Bylaws*, Part D.9 – Committee on Elections and Credentials  
(membership)

**BACKGROUND**

The Senate Committee on Elections and Credentials (EC) proposes adding the Advisor to the Campus Student Elections Commission (CSEC) as an *ex officio* member of EC. Adding the CSEC Advisor as an *ex officio* member would provide stable continuity between EC and the CSEC. Although the Chair of the CSEC is currently an *ex officio* member, this position is an elected student who may change often, whereas the Advisor is a permanent University employee.

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Senate Committee on University Statutes and Senate Procedures recommends the approval of the following revisions to the *Bylaws*. Text to be deleted is ~~struck through~~ and text to be added is underlined. Adoption of amendments to the *Bylaws* requires a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

1      **REVISION TO THE *BYLAWS*, PART D.9 – Committee on Elections and Credentials**

2      **9. Committee on Elections and Credentials**

3          b. Membership

4      The Committee shall consist of:

5          1. Five faculty members;

6          2. One academic professional member;

7          3. Two student members;

8          4. The Clerk of the Senate or the Clerk's designee (*ex officio*);

9          5. The Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs or the Vice Chancellor's designee (*ex officio*);

10          6. The Provost or the Provost's designee (*ex officio*);

11          7. The Chair of the Council of Academic Professionals or the Chair's designee (*ex*  
12          *officio*);

- 13 8. The Chair of the Campus Student Election Commission, or the Chair's designee (*ex*  
14 *officio*), ~~should~~ if the Senate exercises the its option of delegating the student Senate  
15 election process; and
- 16 9. The Advisor to the Campus Student Elections Commission, assigned by the Office of  
17 Student Affairs, or the Advisor's designee (*ex officio*), if the Senate exercises its  
18 option of delegating the student Senate election process.

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