

**EXECUTIVE OFFICE
REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION
December 2, 2025**

To Be Adopted

**Proposed Changes to the College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences Bylaws
(Bylaw 4.1.1.1: Committee List)**

PRESENT:

4.1.1.1. The term of office of the Chair of the Faculty is two years, elected in even years. The term of office ~~of~~ members of the Executive Committee is three years. The five members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Chemistry; Evolution, Ecology and Organismal Biology; Molecular, Cell and Systems Biology; Nematology and Environmental Sciences are elected in the same year; the four members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Earth Sciences, Physics and Astronomy, Microbiology and Plant Pathology and Statistics are elected in the same year; the four members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Biochemistry, Botany and Plant Sciences, Entomology, and Mathematics are elected in the same year. (Am 3 Feb 83)(Am 27 May 93)(Am 30 May 06)(Am 20 Nov 07)(Am 30 Nov.10)(An 5 Dec 2017)

PROPOSED:

4.1.1.1. The term of office of the Chair of the Faculty is two years, elected in even years. The term of office for the members of the Executive Committee is three years. The five members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Chemistry; Evolution, Ecology and Organismal Biology; Molecular, Cell and Systems Biology; Nematology and Environmental Sciences are elected in the same year; the four members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Earth & Planetary Sciences, Physics and Astronomy, Microbiology and Plant Pathology and Statistics are elected in the same year; the four members of the Executive Committee from the departments of Biochemistry, Botany and Plant Sciences, Entomology, and Mathematics are elected in the same year. (Am 3 Feb 83)(Am 27 May 93)(Am 30 May 06)(Am 20 Nov 07)(Am 30 Nov.10)(An 5 Dec 2017)

Statement of Purpose and Effect: To bring the department name "Earth Sciences" into alignment with the Department name change approved by the Division in February 2019 to "Earth & Planetary Sciences."

Submitted by Senate Executive Office: August 7, 2025

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(if applicable) Approved by the Committee on _____(leave blank)

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction finds the wording to be consistent with the code of the

Academic Senate:

(leave blank)

Received by Executive Council:

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