



COMMITTEE ON RULES AND JURISDICTION

Date: December 3, 2025

To: Kenneth Barish, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Randolph C. Head, Chair
Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Head".

Re: [Campus Review] Bylaw Change: *Proposed Changes School of Medicine Bylaw ME 05.06 (Graduate Advisory Committee - GAC)*

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction has carefully considered *Proposed Changes to School of Medicine Bylaw ME 05.06 (Graduate Advisory Committee - GAC)*. The Committee appreciates that the proposed bylaw changes are meant to ensure equal representation for SOM graduate programs to strengthen support for all SOM graduate programs. With this, R&J believes the proposed regulations would benefit from minor modifications to increase clarity and consistency. If completed, the committee approves of this bylaw change with no additional committee review.

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction offers the following to assist in the above:

- Line 5-7** Revision. "four Senate faculty members that consists of...Division."
Suggested alternative: "four Senate faculty members, consisting of two from the Clinical Sciences Division and two from the Biomedical Sciences Division."
- Line 8** Revise "...of Medicine faculty that belong..." to "...of Medicine faculty **who** belong..."
- Line 18** Delete "also" - "...Executive Committee will [] select the Chair..."
- Line 27** Add comma: "... the Dean of the Graduate Division, who consults..."
- Line 30** "Senior Administration" does not need to be capitalized, as it is not a title.
- Line 38** Add comma: "... right to vote, whether members of the Academic Senate or not."