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TO: Ken Barish, PhD, Chair, Academic Senate, UCR Division

FROM: Adam Godzik, Ph.D., Chair, Faculty Executive Committee, UCR School of Medicine

SUBJECT: **[Campus Review] Bylaw Change: *Proposed Changes to the Charge of the Committee on Faculty Research Lecturer (Bylaws 8.13, 8.13.1, 8.13.2)***

Dear Ken,

The SOM Faculty Executive Committee has reviewed the *Bylaw Change: Proposed Changes to the Charge of the Committee on Faculty Research Lecturer (Bylaws 8.13, 8.13.1, 8.13.2)*

Regarding the awards proposal, the committee expressed reservations about creating multiple award levels, preferring to maintain the current single prestigious award while supporting other recognition mechanisms for junior or mid-career faculty.

Yours sincerely,

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