PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO DIVISIONAL SENATE BYLAW 165: LIBRARY

Summary
The Committee on Library proposes to change its name to the “Committee on Library and Scholarly Communication to reflect its expanded charge and responsibilities. This proposed modification is consistent with the Systemwide charge and name change as well as with the other divisions of the UC Academic Senate. A name change requires a bylaw change, which requires approval by the Division. Hence this matter is before the Division for a vote.

Approval
The proposed bylaw amendment was approved by the divisional Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction March 6, 2008

Statement of Intended Effect
The proposed amendment to UCSF Divisional Bylaw 165, which governs the Committee on Library, would expand its charge to include oversight of scholarly communication.

In its current form, Bylaw 165 limits the Library Committee to advising “the Chancellor regarding the administration of the library at San Francisco.” The proposed amendment would allow the Committee on Library to serve in an advisory capacity regarding matters of scholarly communication, and to reflect this expanded mandate, formally changes its name from the “Library Committee” to the “Committee on Library and Scholarly Communication.” The additional language proposed below is identical to the changes adopted at Systemwide.

Proposed Language
165. Committee on Library and Scholarly Communication
   B. Duties:
       1. To advise the President and the Chancellor regarding the administration of the library at San Francisco, and issues related to innovations in forms of scholarly communication, in accordance with the Standing Orders of The Regents, and perform such duties relative to the Libraries at San Francisco as may be assigned to the Division by proper authority.

MOTION BEFORE THE DIVISION

The San Francisco Division of the Academic Senate shall approve the amendment to Divisional Senate Bylaw 165: Library as requested by the Academic Senate Committee on Library.

☐ Yes   ☐ No