Suggested revisions to bylaws (re EPC)

PART X. COMMITTEES (General Provisions)

Original text

28. Educational Policy Committee. (Not less than five members including a Chair and Vice Chair.) This committee is charged with a continuing study of the long-range plans of the School as they relate to the needs of the community and the profession of pharmacy. The committee shall maintain liaison with other long-range planning bodies within the University.

This committee is also charged with continuous study of the curriculum leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy degree and of the postgraduate professional programs in hospital pharmacy. It shall make recommendations to the Faculty regarding any details of the curriculum and subsidiary questions including the initiation, alteration, or discontinuance of courses of instruction. All proposed substantive changes to the curriculum must be submitted to the Committee for approval. All substantive actions of the Committee require approval by the Faculty and must be submitted to the membership of the Faculty in writing at least five days prior to faculty action.

The Committee shall consider any matters in the jurisdiction of the Faculty submitted to it by the Faculty, any officer or committee of the Faculty, the Dean, or any Department and shall report its findings and recommendations to the Faculty. It is required to report to the Faculty at each regular meeting. All substantive actions of the Committee require approval by the Faculty. At least once each year, the Educational Policy Committee shall meet with the appropriate representatives of the student body.

Proposed text

28. Educational Policy Committee. (Not less than five members including a Chair and Vice Chair.) This committee is charged with continuous study of the long-range plans of the School as these relate to the profession of pharmacy and the educational program leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree. It shall maintain liaison with other long-range educational planning bodies within the University.

The committee shall review and make recommendations regarding the PharmD curriculum and subsidiary questions including the initiation, alteration, or discontinuance of courses of instruction. All proposed significant changes to the PharmD curriculum must be submitted to the Committee for approval. The committee shall also consider any matters in the jurisdiction of the Faculty submitted to it by the Faculty, any officer or committee of the Faculty, the Dean, or any Department.

At least once each year, the committee shall meet with representatives of the student body. The Committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the Faculty at each regular meeting. All substantive actions of the Committee require approval by the Faculty and must be submitted to the membership of the Faculty in writing at least five days prior to Faculty action.