COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
Proposed Change to Santa Cruz Bylaw 4.2
Term of the Senate Vice Chair

TO: The Academic Senate, Santa Cruz Division
The Committee on Committees after review by the Committee on Rules, Jurisdiction and Election moves the following amendment to length of the term of the Vice Chair

Background and Rationale
By having the Vice-Chair of the Senate serve *ex-officio* on the Committee on Planning and Budget beginning Fall 2001 (passed by the Senate Fall 2000), and by making the Vice-Chair’s term a one year commitment (rather than two with the presumption of succeeding to the Chair, as is now the case), COC hopes to create a pool of experienced Senate leaders who can be tapped in the future for Senate leadership, including as Chair of the Senate.

This legislation is to take effect September 1, 2001.

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Respectfully Submitted;

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