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Question:

The College of Education Governance Committee is revising the ByLaws for the College. Please review our proposed statement regarding Faculty Senate Representation typed below. We want to be sure it is in line with University Statutes. Faculty Senate Representation, The Faculty Senate shall include at least 40 regular full-time members of the faculty of Georgia Southern University holding the rank of instructor, assistant professor, associate professor or professor who have been members of the faculty of the University for at least one year at the beginning of their terms (Statutes, Article V, Section (8)). The dean shall annually announce the number of senators that has been apportioned to the College of Education (including alternates) and shall call for an election pursuant to University Statutes, Article V, Section 10. Senators will be elected at large such that each department is represented.

Rationale:

Appropriate representation of faculty on the Faculty Senate is an important issue for faculty in all colleges.

Senate Response:

Allen noted there were two information requests that the SEC responded to: one was from the College of re: election proceedings having to do with College of Education, but it missed the deadline for consideration this year. COE has been directed consult with the Elections Committee.