

Adopted: January 22, 1991

**ACADEMIC SENATE
OF
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY
San Luis Obispo, California**

Background Statement: The term-of-office for elected senators is two years; however, if a senator is required to vacate her/his position before the end of the completed term, then the individual appointed to fill the temporary vacancy can only "serve until the next regular election."

**AS-348-91/C&BC
RESOLUTION ON
ACADEMIC SENATE MEMBERSHIP TERMS**

WHEREAS, Over a period of years the need to fill two-year vacancies with one-year appointments has unbalanced the term-endings within each school/professional Consultative Services caucus; therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That permanent term-endings be assigned to each member's position; and be it further

RESOLVED: That when a temporary vacancy from an elected position occurs in the Academic Senate, the individual appointed to fill such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the term instead of only serving "until the next regular election," stated in Academic Senate Bylaws Article II.B.; and be it further

RESOLVED: That Article II.B. of the Academic Senate Bylaws be changed as follows;

TERM OF OFFICE

The elected term of office shall be two years. A senator shall serve a maximum of two consecutive, elected terms and shall not again be eligible for election until one year has elapsed. A senator appointed to fill a temporary vacancy for an elected position shall serve until ~~the next regular election for members of the Senate~~ completion of that term, or until the senator being temporarily replaced returns, whichever occurs first. If this temporary appointment is for one year or less, it shall not be counted a part of the two-term maximum for elected senators

Proposed By:
Academic Senate Constitution
and Bylaws Committee
October 26, 1990
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MEMORANDUM

Date: January 25, 1991 **Copies:** R Koob (w/att)

To: Warren J. Baker, President

From: James L. Murphy, Chair
Academic Senate

Subject: Proceedings of the Academic Senate, January 22, 1991
RESOLUTION ON ACADEMIC SENATE MEMBERSHIP TERMS (AS-348-
91/C&BC)

On January 22, 1991, the Academic Senate passed the above-entitled resolution at its regular meeting. Since this is an Academic Senate Bylaw modification, this resolution is being forwarded for your information only.

Attachment