

Proposed Revisions to the *Palmetto College Campuses Faculty Manual*  
 Palmetto College Campuses Faculty Senate  
 University of South Carolina

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| Brief Title of Proposed Change | Clarification of Calculation of Senate Membership |
| Committee Proposing Revision   | Rights & Responsibilities                         |
| Date of Presentation to Senate | 14 November 2014                                  |
| Senate Approval Date           | 13 February 2015                                  |

**Rationale for Proposed Revisions**

- To clarify how Senate membership is calculated per each campus.

**Summary of Proposed Revisions**

- Bases a campus' Senate membership on the previous year's Fall enrollment.

**Appendix II - "Bylaw of the Palmetto College Campuses Faculty Senate" (p. 84) under "Article II - Members"**

| Current   | Proposed  |
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