Resolution 2002-2. Amending The Faculty Code of University Government to reflect a change in University organization and title and to authorize the Committee on University Government to effect amendments to reflect current titles and names of academic and administrative units and titles.

The General Faculty resolves:

Section 1. The Faculty Code of University Government is amended to substitute "School of Government" for "Institute of Government" in every place the latter appears.

Sec. 2. Section 4-23 of The Faculty Code of University Government is rewritten to read:

"§ 4-23. Committee on Instructional Personnel. (a) The committee shall consist of the deans of all the undergraduate, graduate, and professional colleges and schools (except those in the Division of Health Affairs) and the chairs of the divisions in the College of Arts and Sciences. The committee may add such consultants and delegate such authority to sub-committees as it deems necessary. The provost shall serve as chair of the committee.

(b) The committee shall review the recommendations of the chairs of the respective departments and of the deans of all the undergraduate, graduate, and professional colleges and schools (except those in the Division of Health Affairs) with respect to additions, promotions, and advancements in personnel and with respect to courses of instruction. It shall review, improve, and implement the educational and research program of the University. The arrangement of the University calendar shall come within its purview, and such other matters as the chancellor shall from time to time refer to it."

Sec. 3. Section 1-7 of The Faculty Code of University Government is rewritten to read:

"§ 1-7. Code amendments. (a) Proposals to amend this Code must be passed on two separate readings. At the meeting at which it is introduced, the proposal must receive the affirmative votes of a majority of the voting members of the General Faculty present and voting. Upon such tentative approval, the proposal shall be referred to the Committee on University Government, which shall consider the proposal and report its recommendations to the next regular or special meeting of the General Faculty. When the proposal is reported by the Committee on University Government, those present shall first determine whether to submit the proposal to a general referendum, which shall be done upon motion of one-third of those present and voting. If the proposal is not submitted to a general referendum, passage shall require the affirmative votes of two-thirds of those present and voting. Before the final vote is taken on a proposal that is not submitted to a general referendum, any faculty member present may ask for a ruling of the presiding officer as to whether the proposal has been so materially amended that the text of the proposal as tentatively approved does not constitute a fair representation of the substance of the proposal as amended. If the presiding officer so rules, final action shall be deferred until the next meeting of the General Faculty, or the proposal shall be submitted to a general referendum, as may be decided by a majority of those present and voting. When a proposal is submitted to a general referendum, the secretary of the faculty shall mail a ballot and a copy of the proposal, together with any written report or explanatory material accompanying it, to each voting member
of the General Faculty. Ballots must be returned to the secretary of the faculty not later than 15 days after the date of mailing. In a general referendum, passage shall require the affirmative votes of three-fifths of those voting.

(b) The Committee on University Government may amend this Code as needed to reflect current titles and names of academic and administrative units and positions. The committee shall report such amendments promptly to the secretary of the faculty, who shall report them to the General Faculty.

Sec. 4. This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.