V. SPECIAL ORDERS

- A. Consent Calendar
 - 1. Variance to Senate Regulation 630E Requested by the Irvine Division

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO IRVINE DIVISION REGULATION 515 B

The following proposed amendment to Irvine Division Regulation 515 has been approved by the Academic Council and reviewed by the University Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction for its consonance with the Code of the Senate. Under the authority granted to it in Senate Bylaw 125.B.5, the Academic Council gave provisional approval to this amendment at its meeting of July 24, 2002, pending consideration of the issue by the Assembly. Should the Assembly approve the amendment---Variance to Senate Regulation 630 (E)---it will be effective as of the date it was adopted by the Irvine Division, January 24, 2002.

Senate Regulation 630 (E) reads as follows:

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- E. Except when Divisional Regulations provide otherwise, a student in the Education Abroad Program or the UC Washington, D.C., Program may meet the residence requirement in accordance with the following provisions: (Am 27 May 99)
 - a. A student who completes the graduation requirements while in the Education Abroad Program or the UC Washington, D.C., Program may satisfy the requirements stated in paragraph (A) in the final 45 (or 30 semester) units preceding the student's entrance into the Education Abroad Program or the UC Washington, D.C., Program. (Am 9 Mar 83)
 - b. Subject to the prior approval of the department concerned, a student who is enrolled in the Education Abroad Program or the UC Washington, D.C. Program may satisfy the residence requirement by earning 35 (or 24 semester) of the final 90 (or 60 semester) units, including the final 12 (or 8 semester) units, in residence in the college or school of the University of California in which the degree is taken. (Am 7 Jun 72; Am 9 Mar 83)

Present Wording of Irvine's Regulation 515. Residence Requirement

(B) Irvine Requirement

At least three quarters of work immediately preceding graduation must be-completed in residence at Irvine. Exceptions to this regulation provided by SR 630 (for students enrolled in the Education Abroad Program) are permissible.

Proposed Wording of Irvine's Regulation 515. Residence Requirement

(B) Irvine Requirement

At least 36 of the final 45 units completed by each candidate for the Bachelor's degree must be earned three quarters of work immediately preceding graduation must be completed in residence at Irvine. Exceptions to this regulation provided by SR 630 (for students enrolled in the Education Abroad Program or the UC Washington, D.C., Program) are permissible. In addition, exception is permissible for UCI students enrolled in the International Opportunities Program with International Study Advance Contract.

JUSTIFICATION

The primary motivation for requesting this change is to extend to students enrolled in the UC Washington, D.C. program (UCDC) the same exception to undergraduate residence requirements provided to students enrolled in the Education Abroad Program (EAP). It brings the divisional regulation into compliance with the Universitywide Regulation and into alignment with most other UC campuses. The revised 515B also offers exception to students enrolled in the International Opportunities Program (IOP), one of several programs for study abroad offered by institutions other than UC.

V. SPECIAL ORDERS (Continued)

- A. Consent Calendar (Continued)
 - 1. Variance to Senate Regulation 730 requested by the Davis Division---Diploma Notation for Undergraduate Minors

The following request from the Davis Division for a notation of completed minors be added to UC Davis undergraduate diplomas has been approved by the Academic Council and has been reviewed by the University Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction. Should the Assembly approve the request, it will be forwarded to the President, who, under Regents Standing Order 110.3a, has authority to prescribe the form of all diplomas, following consultation with the Academic Senate. The University of California, Davis, requests an effective date of September 1, 2003.

At its meeting of October 21, 2002, the Representative Assembly of the Davis Division approved a request for diploma notation of completed minors. The recommended diploma notation is:

The Degree Bachelor of X With a Major in Y With a Minor in Z

The Davis Division offers 88 undergraduate minors.

JUSTIFICATION

This proposal is a response by the Davis Division of the Academic Senate to a request from the Associated Students of the University of California Davis, for a more precise reflection on the diploma of the students' educational experiences.