## MEMORANDUM

TO:

President Edward T. Foote

FROM:

Dr. John Knoblock Juc Chairman, Faculty Senate

DATE:

November 18, 1986

SUBJECT:

Faculty Senate Legislation #86003(B)-Name Change for the Department of Drama

The Faculty Senate, at its meeting of November 17, voted to approve the proposed name change for the Department of Drama to the Department of Theatre Arts.

This legislation is now forwarded to you for your action.

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Attachments

cc: Provost Luis Glaser

Professor Robert Ankrom



CAPSULE: Faculty Senate Legislation #86003(B) - Name Change for the Department of Drama

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02nd April 1986

TO:

Dean David Wilson

FROM:

Robert E. Ankrom

SUBJECT:

Departmental Name Change

At its faculty meeting, the Department of Drama voted to change the name of the Department of Drama, to the Department of Theatre Arts.

The name Department of Drama, dates back to the early forties, when there were primarily speech and drama departments.

In the enclosed survey recently taken by Dr. Baker, it shows that Theatre and Theatre Arts Departments far outweigh the Department of Drama. The faculty also felt that "Theatre Arts" was a more inclusive definition over "Theatre" only.

This name change will move the Department into the 1980's.

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## THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert Ankrom

DATE: 3/25/86

FROM: Roberta Baker

SUBJECT: Survey of Titles

In a random survey of approximately 650 colleges and universities to determine the most frequently used designation of Drama/Theatre areas, I found the following:

<u>Title</u>	Used By
Theatre Department	445
Drama Department or	
Department of Drama or	
Department of Dramatic Arts	80
Department of Theatre or	
Department of Theatre Arts	75
Theatre Arts Department	50

The source for this information was the American Theatre  $^{\circ}$  Association Directory for 1985.

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## MEMORANDUM

October 3, 1986

TO:

Dr. John Knoblock

Chairman, Faculty Senate

FROM:

David Wilson, Dean

College of Arts and Sciences

SUBJECT: Change of Name, Department of Drama

At the College Council meeting of September 15, 1986, a request was made by Professor Robert Ankrom to change the name of the Department of Drama to the Department of Theatre Arts. Unanimous approval was given by the College Council. Further, the change of name was unanimously approved by the faculty of the College at its general meeting on September 29.

Please place this item on the agenda of the Senate Council for consideration at its meeting on October 8.

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Budget Committee's Recommendations for Fiscal 1987-88

Dr. Steven Green, co-chairman of the Senate's Budget and Compensation Committee, reviewed the committee's recommendations and explained the rationale for each of the goals presented. It was moved by Dr. Zaller, seconded by Dr. Zollo, to accept the recommendations of the committee, to authorize its members to discuss with the administration the recommendations, and to make such adjustments as are necessary to create a balanced budget. The motion carried. It was noted that graduate stipends are included in the faculty salary figures. Dr. Glaser stated that he was committed, in principle, to the goals proposed by the committee.

Proposed Name Change for the Department of Family Medicine

Dr. Knoblock presented the Council's motion to change the name of the Department of Family Medicine to the Department of Family Medicine and Community Health. Dr. Lynn Carmichael, Chairman of the department, gave an oral rationale for the proposed name change. The motion carried unanimously.

Proposed Name Change for the Department of Drama

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Dr. Knoblock presented the Council's motion to change the name of the Department of Drama to the Department of Theatre Arts. Discussion followed. The motion carried.

Revision of Bylaw on Faculty Titles, Status, Qualifications, Appointments, Promotions and Tenure

The Chairman explained that the purpose of distributing the draft in sections, rather than as a whole, was to allow discussion of a reasonable amount of material. He reviewed each section of the proposed draft, explained the rationale for each change, and requested comments and suggestions from the Senate. The Senate Council, at a special meeting held today, recommended adding "appointment, reappointment" to paragraph 2, Section 1.7. Discussion followed regarding "educator faculty". New language for section 2.5.4 will be drafted by Drs. Sowle and Swan. After discussion, it was moved by Dr. Zaller, seconded by Dr. Zollo, to consider items 4, 5, & 7 as separate agenda items

Interpretation of the Faculty Manual - Section 2.4

Dr. Knoblock introduced a pending case concerning the voting members of a department or school and requested an interpretation of Section 2.4 of the Manual. After discussion, the traditional interpretation was affirmed by the Council for this particular case, i.e., that one-half of the annual salary is paid by the department and that at least half of the faculty member's duties are assigned by the department as defined by the department. It was moved, and seconded, to interpret "annual", as specified in the letter of appointment, means that at least 50% of the total compensation for the year must come from departmental sources. The motion carried with one opposed. It was the consensus of the Council that the issue should be taken under advisement and reconsidered as part of the revision of Bylaw 3.11.

## Bylaw 3.11 - Section D

Dr. Knoblock introduced the issue of whether the electorate shall be informed at the meeting of the results of the ballot on votes of tenure, promotion and appointment. The Council interpreted this Bylaw to mean that the departmental faculty shall participate in the counting of the vote and be informed of the results of the ballot at the meeting. The motion carried.

Proposed Program in Classical Studies

Drs. Johnson, Randolph, and Knoblock were appointed to review the proposed program in classical studies submitted by the College of Arts and Sciences.

Proposed Name Change for Department of Brama

It was <u>moved</u>, and seconded, to agenda the proposed name change for the Department of Drama, with the approval of the Council, for the Faculty Senate meeting of October 20. The <u>motion</u> carried.