

MEMORANDUM

TO:

President Edward T. Foote II

FROM:

George C. Alexandrakis

Chairman, Faculty Senate

DATE:

March 16, 1991

SUBJECT:

Faculty Senate Legislation #90004(B)-

Name Change for the Department of Oncology

The Faculty Senate, at its meeting of February 25, 1991, voted to approve Faculty Senate Legislation #90004(B) - Name Change for the Department of Oncology. The new name will be the Department of Medical Oncology.

This legislation is forwarded to you for your approval.

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Provost Glaser

Dean Fogel

Associate Dean Noble Acting Chairman Richman

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CAPSULE:

Faculty Senate Legislation #90004(B) - Name Change for the Department of Oncology



RESPONSE BY THE PRESIDENT:	DATE: 3/2 2/9/
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NOT APPROVED AND REFERRED TO:	
REMARKS (IF NOT APPROVED):	

Proposed Name Change for the Department of Oncology

The proposed name change for the Department of Oncology was brought to the Senate for a first reading with the unanimous recommendation of the Senate Council. It was *moved* and seconded to approve the proposed name change of the Department of Oncology to the Department of Medical Oncology. The *motion carried*. It was *moved* and seconded to waive the second reading. The *motion carried*.

Report from Academic Standards Committee regarding Good Academic Standing, Probation and Dismissal

Committee introduced Academic Standards Alexandrakis the Professor recommendation that the Good Academic Standing, Probation, and Dismissal section of the Bulletin be amended to read as follows: "A student whose semester gradepoint average (SGPA) or cumulative grade-point average (CGPA) is below 2.0 shall receive a warning. All students who ..." It was moved and seconded to include the following amendment: "Depending on the student's major, additional requirements may be imposed by the major for which the student is responsible." The motion to It was moved and seconded to refer this matter back to the amend carried. Committee for a revision incorporating the sense of the amendment. The motion to refer failed. The main motion as amended carried.

Faculty Senate Legislation #89013(B) -Bylaws for Librarian Faculty (First Reading)

Professor Seiler reviewed each section of the proposed bylaw and presented the rationale for each. It was *moved* and seconded to return the bylaw to the Senate Council to make the appropriate changes in light of the discussion. The *motion carried*.

The meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

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Secretary to the Faculty Senate

SENATE COUNCIL MEETING

February 11, 1991

PRESENT: Professors Alexandrakis, Chairman, Awad, Brass, Clingan, DeSantis,

Eckstein, Green, Greenfield, Heuson, Lorton, Seiler, Steinfatt,

Wilson, and Warren.

ABSENT: Professor Victoria.

GUESTS: President Foote, Provost Glaser, Associate Provost Murfin, Dean

Perry, Director of Admissions Conway, and Professors Carlebach,

Halpert, Posnak, Pospesel and Richman.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:10 p.m. The minutes of November 12 were approved as submitted. The minutes of January 14 were corrected to reflect that Professor Green was not in attendance and had received an excused absence.

Proposed Name Change for the Department of Oncology

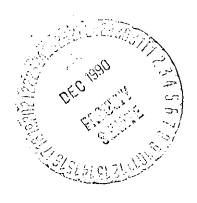
Professor Stephen Richman, Acting Chairman of the Department of Oncology, presented the department's request for the name change from the Department of Oncology to the Department of Medical Oncology. It comes as a consequence of the separation of the department from the Cancer Center. He explained the relationship of the department to the other departments and divisions which carry out various oncology activities. The Dean and other department and divisions heads feel that the departmental name presently is inappropriately broad and should be circumscribed to more accurately reflect the department's work. It was moved and seconded to forward the proposal to the Faculty Senate. The motion carried.

Retreat Schedule Conflict

The Chairman said that the March 2 date for the Retreat presents a conflict for the President's calendar. After discussion, it was agreed to check with the President and to move the Retreat either to March 3 or March 9.

Report from the Academic Standards Committee regarding Good Academic Standing, Probation, and Dismissal

Professor Paul Posnak, Chairman of the Academic Standards Committee, presented the Committee's recommendation to amend Faculty Senate Legislation #88005(B)-Policies and Procedures for Good Academic Standing to read: "A student whose semester grade-point average (SGPA) or cumulative grade-point average (CGPA) falls below 2.0 ... " and by changing "falls" to "is". It was moved and seconded to forward the recommendation to the Senate. The motion carried. The Committee is also discussing the issues of the advising system, the enforcement of a reduced course load and the monitoring of students pursuant to receiving a "warning".





MEMORANDUM

TO:

Dr. George Alexandrakis

Chair, Faculty Senate

FROM:

Nancy L. Noble, Ph.D.

Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs

RE:

Change in departmental name

Department of Oncology

DATE:

December 17, 1990

The Executive Faculty of the School of Medicine and the School Faculty Council at meetings on 11/19/90 and 09/26/90 respectively approved the departmental faculty recommendation of 08/29/90 to change the name of the Department of Oncology to the Department of Medical Oncology.

A memorandum from the Acting Chair, Dr. Stephen Richman, supporting this change to reflect more accurately the activities of the Department is enclosed.

Please present this request to the Faculty Senate Council, the Senate and the University President. Please keep me informed as to the progress of this request through the process.

Thank you!

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cc: Dr.B.J.Fogel

Dr.S.Richman

Dr.W.Awad

Dr.R.Warren

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TO:

NANCY L. NOBLE, PH.D.

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR FACULTY AFFAIRS

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FROM:

STEPHEN P. RICHMAN, M.D. Talle Walnut

DEPARTMENT OF ONCOLOGY

SUBJECT:

DEPARTMENT NAME CHANGE

DATE:

DECEMBER 10, 1990

Attached to this memo is the memorandum which I sent to Dr. Fogel. voted on at the last Executive Committee Meeting of the Departmental Chairman and passed. The reasons for this were reviewed at the meeting, but are not contained to any degree in the memo so I will review them for you here.

With the separation of the Department from the Cancer Center in August, 1989 it became clear to a number of observers on campus including the Department Chairpersons in allied fields, and the members of the Search Committees for the Cancer Center Director and the Department Chairman, that the present name of the Department was inappropriate in certain aspects. The use of the term "Oncology" alone implies a Department which encompasses a rather broad area of activities in the discipline. For instance, as this term is used in the Department of Human Oncology at the University of Wisconsin, not only are medical and hematologic disciplines are included, but also radiation oncology. The Department of Oncology basically consists of a Division of Medical Oncology made up of internists engaged primarily in chemotherapy, a Division of Experimental Therapeutics made up of Ph.D.'s investigating chemotherapy action and resistance, and members of Cancer Control, Epidemiology, and Biostatistics. The Department does not encompass activities in Surgical Oncology, Gynecologic Oncology, Pediatric Oncology, Radiation Oncology, and does very very little Hematology which is carried out primarily by the Division of Hematology in the Department of Medicine. For these reasons, many observers have felt that the name is inappropriate. Department members were at first resistant to this change because they did not feel that the term "Medical Oncology" properly addressed all the activities in the Department. However, recently the Department members have become less adamant on this matter and the last vote is as I indicated in the memo to Dr. Fogel. I personally am also in favor of the name change. I hope this is of help to you.

Please let me know if you need any additional information or you would like me to appear at any of the meetings where this matter may be voted upon.

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TO:

BERNARD J. FOGEL, M.D.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR MEDICAL AFFAIRS

AND DEAN, SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

FROM:

STEPHEN P. RICHMAN, M.D.

PROFESSOR AND CHIEF
DEPARTMENT OF ONCOLOGY

SUBJECT:

FACULTY VOTE ON DEPARTMENTAL NAME

DATE:

SEPTEMBER 14, 1990

On August 29th at the Departmental Meeting the question of changing the name of the Department from Oncology to Medical Oncology was again discussed. This was done in light of changes in the overall political atmosphere since the last vote. A motion for changing the name of the Department to Medical Oncology was made and seconded and discussed. The vote for was eight votes, against two votes, abstaining five votes. Therefore, a majority of the Departmental members present were in favor of the name change. I hope this is of help to you.

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