

Common Curriculum Committee+  
Report to the Senate  
April 3, 2023

**Motion passed by the University Senate on 5.1.2023**  
**Vote 71 YAY, 0 NAY, 4 ABSTENTIONS**

**Proposed By-Law Language:**

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