To be adopted:

**PRESENT:**

**HS2.1.4** The Chair takes office beginning July first next following his/her election at a regular election or immediately upon completion of the ballot count at a special election. The Secretary-Parliamentarian takes office immediately upon appointment. (Am 2 Jun 83)

**PROPOSED:**

**HS2.1.4** The Chair takes office beginning September first next following his/her election at a regular election or immediately upon completion of the ballot count at a special election. The Secretary-Parliamentarian takes office immediately upon appointment. (AM 05/06)

**Justification:** The change in this bylaw will enable the chair of the Executive committee to start at the same time as the rest of the Chairs of the Senate Standing Committees thus making the transition period smoother and more effective.

Approved by the CHASS Executive Committee: May 31, 2006  
The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction finds the wording to be consistent with the code of the Academic Senate: June 23, 2006  
Endorsed by the Advisory Committee: October 23, 2006