



UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

UNIVERSITY SENATE

1100 Marie Mount Hall
College Park, Maryland 20742-7541
301.405.5805 TEL 301.405.5749 FAX
<http://www.senate.umd.edu>

MEMORANDUM

April 15, 2009

To: C. D. Mote, Jr.
From: Kenneth G. Holum
Chair of the University Senate
Subject: PCC Proposals Pertaining to the Reorganization of the Biological Sciences
Graduate Programs in the College of Chemical and Life Sciences
Senate Document No. 08-09-23

I am pleased to forward for your consideration the attached proposal entitled, "PCC Proposals Pertaining to the Reorganization of the Biological Sciences Graduate Programs in the College of Chemical and Life Sciences."

- Proposal to Rename the Ph.D. in Biology as the Ph.D. in Biological Sciences
- Proposal to Rename the Areas of Concentration in the Ph.D. in Biology
- Proposal to Rename the M.S. in Biology as the M.S. in Biological Sciences and Eliminate All Areas of Concentration

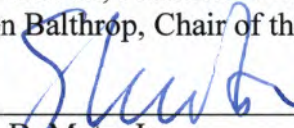
The proposal was presented by Carmen Balthrop, Chair of the Programs, Curricula, and Courses Committee. The University Senate approved the proposed at its April 6, 2009 meeting.

We request that you inform the Senate Office of your decision as well as any subsequent action related to your conclusion.

Enclosure: PCC Proposals Pertaining to the Reorganization of the Biological Sciences Graduate Programs in the College of Chemical and Life Sciences
Senate Document No. 08-09-23

KGH/ld

cc: Nariman Farvardin, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs & Provost
Reka Montfort, Executive Secretary and Director, University Senate
Ellin Scholnick, Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs
Phyllis Peres, Associate Provost for Academic Planning and Programs
Terry Roach, Executive Assistant to the President
Janet Turnbull, President's Legal Office
Carmen Balthrop, Chair of the Programs, Curricula, and Courses Committee

Approved: 
C. D. Mote, Jr.
President

Date: 4/29/09