

March 22, 2023

Susan Cochran  
Chair, UC Systemwide Academic Senate

**Re: (Systemwide Senate Review) Proposed Conforming Amendments to Senate Regulations on Admission**

Dear Chair Cochran,

At the March 16, 2023, meeting of the Executive Board, members reviewed the proposed conforming amendments to Senate Regulations on Admission and the enclosed divisional committee and council responses. Members appreciated the opportunity to review the proposal and offered the following comments.

Members approved a motion to endorse the proposed revisions and to urge a reconsideration along lines of the recommendation in the attached Committee on Undergraduate Admissions and Relations with Schools (CUARS) letter, namely to specify that the University of California does not consider scores from the SAT/ACT (rather than use broader language). The CUARS letter states: "Members recommend replacing the broad terminology of 'standardized tests' with explicit references to 'SAT or ACT scores,' to distinguish the latter from other test scores that may be reported for admissions purposes (e.g., AP, International Baccalaureate, TOEFL, A-levels, etc.)."

Sincerely,



Jessica Cattellino  
Chair  
UCLA Academic Senate

Encl.

Cc: April de Stefano, Executive Director, UCLA Academic Senate  
Andrea Kasko, Vice Chair/Chair Elect, UCLA Academic Senate  
Shane White, Immediate Past Chair, UCLA Academic Senate