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A BILL FOR A LAW TO AMEND THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LAW (2010 REVISION) SO AS TO MAKE CERTAIN CHANGES IN RELATION TO THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS; AND FOR INCIDENTAL AND CONNECTED MATTERS

THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2011

MEMORANDUM OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill amends the University College Law (2010 Revision).

Clause 1 provides for the short title.

Clause 2 makes three changes to the principal Law.

First, section 3(3)(d) of the principal Law allowed for the appointment of two honorary members of the Board of Governors from outside the Islands, neither of whom had a vote. Clause 2(a)(i) repeals and substitutes paragraph (d) so as to allow the Governor in Cabinet to appoint one or both members as voting members.

Clause 2(a)(ii) amends section 3(3)(e) by removing the restriction that one of the two members appointed under that paragraph be from the College Faculty.

Third, clause 2(b) repeals and substitutes section 3(5) so as to clarify the range of options available to the Governor in Cabinet in designating a chairman and deputy chairman.

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ENACTED by the Legislature of the Cayman Islands.

1. This Law may be cited as the University College (Amendment) Law, 2011. Short title

2. The University College Law (2010 Revision) is amended in section 3 as follows -

- (a) in subsection (3) -
 - (i) by repealing paragraph (d) and substituting the following paragraph -
 - "(d) if the Governor considers it desirable, not more than two members from outside the Islands, one or both of whom may or may not be honorary members, who have, in the opinion of the Governor, appropriate academic qualifications or experience, an honorary member not being entitled to vote at meetings of the Board;"; and
 - (ii) by deleting from paragraph (e) the words ", one of whom shall be from the College Faculty"; and

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(b) by repealing subsection (5) and substituting the following subsection -

"(5) The Governor shall appoint -

- (a) two members appointed under subsection (3)(c) as chairman and deputy chairman, respectively; or
- (b) two members appointed under subsection (3)(e) as chairman and deputy chairman, respectively; or
- (c) one member appointed under subsection (3)(c) and one member appointed under subsection (3)(e), as chairman and deputy chairman, respectively, or vice versa.".

Passed by the Legislative Assembly the day of , 2011.

Speaker.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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