

Proposal to Amend WKU Faculty Handbook: Substantive Change
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1. Type of Change:

- Addition: Where possible, identify the section of the handbook to which addition is proposed:
- Deletion: Identify the section of the handbook from which deletion is proposed:
- Revision: Identify the section of the handbook to which revision is proposed: II.A.2. p. 7

2. Proposals should be made in the form of text intended as an addition to or a replacement of, in whole or in part, some current section of the Faculty Handbook.

Current wording:

...A decision on renewal appointment shall be made by the dean, upon recommendation by the department head, at least four months prior to the end of each year of the appointment and communicated to both the candidate and the dean.

Proposed wording:

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3. Rationale for amendment: Since the dean is making the decision, then we think it should be the department head who it is communicated to.