



University of Technology, Sydney

## RULE CHANGES APPROVED BY COUNCIL

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**Council resolved at meeting 03/5 (15.9.03):**

**COU/03/88.2**

that the following changes to Rule 2.11 Leave of Absence of the University be approved: (changes are shown as underlined or struck through)

2.11.1 Students wishing to withdraw temporarily from a course must lodge an application for leave of absence ~~in writing with the Registrar~~ on the appropriate form no later than the census date of the first teaching period for which leave is being sought.

~~2.11.2 Leave of absence during candidature for one award shall not normally be granted for a total period exceeding two years.~~

~~2.11.3 Leave of absence shall not normally be granted to students who have not completed the requirements for at least one subject in their course.~~

~~2.11.4 Students resuming a course after leave of absence shall be subject to the course requirements in operation at the time of resumption and will be required to re-enrol as directed by the Registrar~~

2.11.2 For Undergraduate or Graduate coursework students

- (a) Leave of absence shall not normally be granted to students who have not completed the requirements for at least one subject in their course.
- (b) Leave of absence during candidature for one award shall not normally be granted for a total period exceeding two years.
- (c) Students resuming a course after leave of absence shall be subject to the course requirements in operation at the time of resumption and will be required to re-enrol as directed by the Registrar.

2.11.3 For Masters by Thesis and Doctoral students

- (a) Leave of absence shall not normally be granted in the first semester of candidature.
- (b) Leave of absence shall not normally be granted for a total period exceeding two semesters.
- (c) Variations to the provisions of 2.11.3 (a) and (b) will only be considered in exceptional circumstances and is subject to approval by the University Graduate School Board.
- (d) Students resuming a course after leave of absence shall be subject to the course requirements in operation at the time of resumption and will be required to re-enrol as directed by the Dean, University Graduate School Board.



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**COU/03/85**

that Rule 14(b) of *G3 – Rules relating to the Academic Board* be amended as follows (additions underlined):

Division 4 – Functions and powers of the Board

14. The Academic Board:

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- (b) shall consider and decide upon recommendations relating to the introduction, review and accreditation of award programs, the introduction of which has been approved by the Vice-Chancellor or his or her nominee or designated group, with the proviso that in the case of offshore courses, all business cases must be endorsed by the Chief Financial Officer and, if outside predetermined Commercial Activities Committee guidelines, by the Committee itself.