

## Democracy Referendum Proposal

**Comment [G1]:** This is, ultimately, what voters in the referendum will be asked to agree to.

### 1. Replacement of existing Bye-laws

1.1 Schedules one and three shall have effect for the purpose of the replacement of existing Bye-laws.

### 2. New Bye-laws and regulations

2.1 Schedules two and four shall have effect for the purpose of the enactment of new Bye-laws.

2.2 Schedules five, six and seven shall have effect for the purpose of the enactment of new Regulations.

### 3. General amendments

3.1 Schedule eight shall have effect for the purpose of the making of general, including Constitutional, amendments.

### 4. No retrospective effect

4.1 No part of the Constitution or of any Bye-law or Regulation enacted or amended by virtue of this proposal shall have effect in relation to anything done or commenced under the provisions of the Constitution, Bye-laws and Regulations as they existed immediately before the coming into force of this proposal.

### 5. Transitional provision

5.1 Schedule nine shall have effect for the purpose of the making of transitional, transitory and saving provision in relation to the amendments and enactments effected by this proposal.

**Comment [G2]:** Schedule nine is not yet drafted, but will only contain entirely uncontroversial provisions relating to the transition between the two systems. It may not be necessary, in which case this section will be removed.

### 6. Commencement

6.1 This proposal shall come into effect:

- (a) on the day that the approval of the Council of the University to the Constitutional amendments is communicated to the Chief Executive of AUGS, but
- (b) not before 1 July 2012.