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Subject: Transmission of Proposal for Senate - Cover Page

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Proposed Application of Senate Rules 5.5.2.3.3 (“Circumstances for Award of Honorary Degrees”) to Allow Conferral Outside of a Commencement

1. **Purpose for submitting:** *Submitting for approval*
2. **Type of proposal:** *Campuswide policies (including Senate Rules)*
3. **Specific action being requested:** *Waive*
4. **Proposer:** *Sheila Brothers*
5. **Affiliation of proposer:** *Senate Council office*
6. **Proposal submitted on behalf of another unit or organization** *Not applicable*
 - 6.a. If "Yes," name of the submitting unit/organization:
7. **Rationale for proposal:**
A Senate- and Board-approved honorary degree recipient cannot attend a regular Commencement ceremony due to health reasons. Application of this aspect of the rule will allow conferral in a private ceremony.
8. **Does the proposal include a change to the Senate Rules?**
Not applicable
 - 8.a. If "Yes," what section of the Senate Rules?
 - 8.b. If "Yes," what is the requested effective date?
9. **If asking for feedback, how will the feedback be used?**