
University of Sydney (Senate) Rule 2002*

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1. Citation and commencement

(1) Citation

This rule is made by the Senate pursuant to section 37(1) of the *University of Sydney Act 1989 (as amended)*.

(2) Commencement

This rule commences on the day after it is made in accordance with Chapter 2 of the *University of Sydney By-Law 1999*.

2. Purpose

The purpose of this rule is to recognize the common law principle that an appointed or elected member of a governing body such as the Senate must act in the best interests of the institution as a whole.

3. Duty of Fellows

A Fellow has a fiduciary duty of loyalty to act in the best interests of the University. This duty is paramount and in addition to any other duties a Fellow may have, this being consistent with the common law.