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| **CURRENT UM System CRR**  | Parity and Responsiveness Proposal |
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2. If an academic school’s/unit’s number of faculty exceeds fifty members, an additional senator will be added for each increment of twenty-five faculty over a fifty-faculty baseline.
3. The number of representatives greater than two is determined jointly by the FSEC and the Senate.
4. Each academic unit and the FSEC periodically review the school/unit faculty numbers and representative numbers and invite or propose increases/decreases as needed.

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