

The Policy Committee provides the following information to assist the community in understanding the status of policies in development and to anticipate the publication of future batches of policy proposals. The charts below indicate policy proposals in progress, other initiatives under development, and policy proposals approved after July 27, 2006, the last date on which the Board approved policies for inclusion in the 2006 version of the *Common Manual*. The Policy Committee hopes this monthly update will assist you in planning for all stages of policy proposal development and distribution.

### Policy Proposals in Progress

There are no policies scheduled for community review until after the July 2007 version of the *Common Manual* is published.

### Initiatives under Development

General Topic	Estimated # of Policy Proposals	Projected Date of Distribution
No additional policies are scheduled for development and publication at this time		

### Policies Approved, Bulletins Issued

The following chart represents policy changes approved by the Governing Board after July 27, 2006, the cut-off for the last manual update to the ECM and paper-copy update of the manual. These changes will appear in the July 2007 printed and CD versions of the *Common Manual*. Common Bulletin language has been or will be distributed for all of the new policies, as listed below.

Batch Number	Policy Proposal Reference Number(s)	Approved by the Governing Board	Common Bulletin Distribution
Batch 134	903 - 907	October 19	October 31
Batch 135	908 & 910*	November 16	November 28
Batch 135	909	December 21	January 4, 2007
Batch 136	912 - 918**	December 21	January 4
Batch 137	919 - 923	January 18, 2007	January 29
Batch 138	924 - 928	February 15, 2007	February 26
Batch 139	929 - 938	March 15, 2007	March 27
Batch 140	939-943, 945-949 <sup>†</sup>	April 19, 2007	May 1
Batch 141	950-960, 962 <sup>‡</sup>	April 19, 2007	May 1

\*Policy 909 from batch 135 initially was deferred for additional research and later approved as noted.

\*\*Policy 911 from batch 136 was moved to considered and will not be advanced.

<sup>†</sup> Policy 944 from batch 140 was deferred for additional research and development.

<sup>‡</sup> Policy 961 from batch 141 was deferred pending additional guidance on the HEROES Act.