S607 SSSA LIAISON REPRESENTATIVE - SOIL AND PLANT ANALYSIS COUNCIL (SPAC)

A. **Status**: Special Liaison Representative

B. **Composition and Tenure:**

A member of SSSA competent in the fields of soil testing and plant analysis is appointed for a three-year term, subject to reappointment. It is preferable that the appointee be a member of the Soil and Plant Analysis Council and that he/she attend meetings of that organization and of SSSA.

C. **Functions:**

1. To attend meetings of the Soil and Plant Analysis Council whenever feasible and to further the programs and objectives of that organization, especially those that are of mutual interest to the Council and to SSSA.

2. To inform SSSA officers and members of Council activities that may be of special interest. CSA News is suggested as a medium for dissemination of such information.

3. To prepare an annual report for the SSSA Board of Directors which summarizes programs and activities of the Soil and Plant Analysis Council during the year that may be of interest to SSSA members. Following are three general classes of subjects, with examples, that should be considered for inclusion in the report (those items selected for the report should be those with special interest to SSSA members):
   a. Organization--names and addresses of officers, formation of committees, and reports of committees.
   b. Policy--procedures for publication, including means of financing, and establishment of procedures for certifying or licensing professionals.
   c. Professional activity--plans for special symposia or meetings and publication of monographs.

4. To provide a report on the SSSA to the Council at such times and of such nature as may be requested by the Council.

D. **Presidential Responsibilities:**

The President of SSSA:

1. Appoints the SSSA Liaison Representative when the position becomes vacant. If the Soil and Plant Analysis Council has a Liaison Representative to SSSA, contact with Council officers should be made to ascertain if one person might serve in both positions.

2. Informs officers of the Council of the appointment.

3. Cooperates with the Representative to assist him/her in performance of duties.

E. **Soil and Plant Analysis Council Contact Information**

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