Proposal to Clarify Allocation Priority for Prior Living Organ Donors

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Problem Statement and Data

- Current policy does not clearly state whether prior living organ donors should get priority with each and every kidney registration or just one registration

- Since 1996
  - 280 prior living donors listed for kidney transplant
  - 33 prior living donors listed for more than one kidney transplant
Proposal

- Policy language would clearly state that the local priority and 4 points for prior living donors applies with each and every kidney registration.
Feedback and Cost Estimates

- Public Comment: 59 in favor, 2 opposed, and 17 had no comment.

- Committee votes: 6 in favor, 0 opposed, and 14 did not vote.

- Regional votes: 11 in favor, 0 opposed.

- RAIS: Project Size- Very small; Implementation Cost- $4,652; Annual Maintenance Estimate- 40 hours. Does not require additional programming in UNetSM.
Resolution 2

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- RESOLVED, that Policies 3.5.11.6 (Donation Status) and 12.9.3 (Priority on the Waiting List) are modified as set forth below, effective February 1, 2013.