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COMMITTEE CHARGES:
• Manage journal content to grow Impact Factor to target levels identified in PSA Strategic Plan.
• Develop and implement Board-approved plans to improve the quality and speed of the review process for PS, including development of reviewer training program
• Develop and implement education plans for submitting authors to improve first submission manuscript quality, especially focusing on top reasons for rejection of manuscripts.
• Review and provide impact assessment of reduced Open Access fee in conjunction with JAPR-EIC, and PSA Executive Director
• Continue to explore the potential development of “focus” issues to increase citations and improve impact factor.

COMMITTEE DUTIES (Coordinate with JAPR Editorial Board as appropriate):
• Work with EIC to explore better communication between authors and reviewers/editors.
• Identify possible papers to be highlighted as a news release for PSA (coordinate with the PSA Executive Director).
• Continue to increase pages published, impact factor and service of journal to members.
• Continue to work on decreasing review.
• Help to identify international members that can serve as journal paper reviewers.

RELEVANT INFORMATION FROM THE PSA CONSTITUTION:

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Committees
Section 3. There shall be Publication Committees for *Poultry Science* and for *The Journal of Applied Poultry Research* each consisting of the Editor-in-Chief and the Section/Subject Editors. The President, Secretary-Treasurer, and Managing Editor will serve as ex officio members of both Publication Committees.

(a) The Editors-in-Chief and Section/Subject Editors of *Poultry Science* and *The Journal of Applied Poultry Research* are appointed by the Board of Directors to a three-year term, subject to reappointment for one additional three-year term. Outgoing editors may be appointed to other duties on the Editorial Board the year after their term expires; however, a one-year period must elapse before the editor can be reappointed to the same position. The Associate Editors/Review Board for *Poultry Science* and the Editorial/Review Board for *The Journal of Applied Poultry Research* are appointed by their Publications Committees for three- and one-year terms, respectively.

(b) The Publication Committees shall have charge of all technical editorial details connected with publication of the journals and newsletter as authorized by the Board of Directors. All business details connected with the publication and sale of the journals and newsletter shall be the responsibility of the Secretary-Treasurer, or the Executive Director, as authorized by the Board of Directors.