SENATE BILL #2696

TITLE: Allowance of Suspension of the ASUW Elections Policy

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SPONSORS: Senators St. Marie, Titus, and Welsh

1. WHEREAS, the purpose of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming (ASUW)

2. Student Government is to serve our fellow students in the best manner possible; and,

3. WHEREAS, the global coronavirus pandemic has led the University of Wyoming (UW)

- 4. campus into a period of uncertainty; and,
- 5. WHEREAS, campaigning in a face-to-face manner is integral to informed voting in any
- 6. election; and,
- 7. WHEREAS, suspension of the Elections Policy, within the ASUW By-Laws, would now
- 8. require a 4/5 vote to actually be in effect, as outlined in Addendum A; and,
- 9. WHEREAS, all steps are necessary to take as precautions to keep the ASUW Student
- 10. Government functioning and able to serve students for the foreseeable future; and,
- 11. WHEREAS, at this point elections must be able to be fluid and change when the time calls
- 12. for it.
- 13. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
- 14. (ASUW) Student Government that the ASUW By-Laws be amended to reflect the changes
- 15. made in Addendum A; and,
- 16. THEREFORE, be it further enacted these changes take effect immediately upon passage of
- 17. this legislation; and,
- 18. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that these changes only be in effect for the rest of the
- 19. 107th administration.

Referred to:	Committee of the Whole		
Date of Passage:	03/12/2020	Signed:	
			(ASUW Chairperson)
"Being enacted on_		<u>.</u>	, I do hereby sign my name hereto and
approve this Senate	action."		
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ASUW President

Addendum A

Section 5.08 Amendments and Suspension

- 1. Suspension
 - A. Any portion of this article may be suspended by a 4/5 standing vote of the ASUW Senate. No portion of this Article may be suspended.