

Senate Bill #1649

Title: Presidential Veto Powers

Thesis: Constitutional amendment to set procedure for Presidential vetoes

Date: November 7, 1989

Sponsor: Jim Willox

1. Whereas there is no set procedure for Presidential vetoes, and whereas
2. there is a need for the ASUW Senate to be informed of Presidential
3. vetoes, and whereas there is a need to define the time frame for signing
4. or vetoing legislation, and whereas there is a need to have a smooth
5. transfer of power from one administration to the next; therefore be it
6. enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the
7. University of Wyoming that the following constitutional amendment to
8. Article V, Section 2, Part H, be placed on the Spring 1990 ballot for
9. approval by the Student Body:

10. Article V, Section 2:

11. H. The President may veto within TEN (10) DAYS of its
12. passage...following the veto.

13. 1. IF THE PRESIDENT FAILS TO ACT ON ANY PIECE OF LEGISLATION
14. WITHIN 10 DAYS OF PASSAGE, OR BEFORE THE NEW PRESIDENT IS
15. SWORN IN, THE LEGISLATION SHALL GO INTO EFFECT WITHOUT THE
16. PRESIDENT'S SIGNATURE.

17. 2. THE PRESIDENT SHALL PROVIDE A WRITTEN EXPLANATION OF ANY
18. VETO TO THE SENATE AT THE NEXT MEETING FOLLOWING THE VETO
19. OR BEFORE THE SUBSEQUENT SENATE IS SWORN IN, WHICHEVER IS
20. SOONER.

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Referred to: Constitution

Date of Passage: November 28, 1989 Signed: Kristen Alleman
ASUW Chairperson

"Being enacted on Dec. 4, 1989,) I do hereby sign my name hereto and
approve this Senate action." Ward R. Miller
ASUW President

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