

SENATE BILL #1847

Title: Constitution Revisions

Date: February 10, 1997

Authors: Constitution Committee

Sponsors: Senators Neu, Rostad, Sears, Shaw, Walters and Zeller

1 WHEREAS, Article IV, Section I of the ASUW Constitution reads that the ASUW
2 Judicial Branch must take action to disqualify someone from his or her position; and

3 WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 2 states that a member of the ASUW shall not be
4 eligible to serve if they have been found of acts within the past two years that may
5 compromise their integrity as a student leader and representative of the ASUW, where
6 it is believed that this standard should be upheld throughout their term of office; and

7 WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 2 states that vacancies will be filled according to
8 strict rules and procedures approved each year by the ASUW Senate; and

9 WHEREAS, Article VIII, Section 1 D. reads Dean of Students, where this position is
10 now called the Director, Office of Student Life; and

11 WHEREAS, Article VIII, Section 4 B. reads Associate Vice President for Academic
12 Affairs, where this position is now called Vice President for Student Affairs.

13 THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the
14 University of Wyoming, that the ASUW Constitution, as revised by the ASUW

15 Constitution Committee, supersede all previous Constitutions and be recognized as the
16 official ASUW Constitution. (See Addendum)

Referred to: Committee of the Whole

Date of Passage: February 25, 1997 Signed: Donna F. Warkins
ASUW Chairperson

“Being enacted on March 4, 1997, I do hereby sign my name hereto and
approve this Senate action.”

[Signature]
ASUW President

CONSTITUTION CHANGES (overview)

Article IV, Section 1

Strike "following action taken by the ASUW Judicial Branch."

Add "and in the case of conduct issues, acts which result in the establishment of a citizenship file in the Office of Student Life will result in automatic disqualification" to the paragraph reading "Failure to fulfill any of the foregoing requirements shall mean the person will be automatically disqualified from his or her position, and that position shall remain vacant until any appropriate appeals procedures have been exhausted" after position. Striking the "and" from the original paragraph, ending the sentence after position, and "That position shall remain vacant until any appropriate appeals procedures have been exhausted" will become a separate sentence.

Move this entire paragraph from the bottom of Section 1 to the bottom of Section 2.

Article IV, Section 2

Add "This standard must be maintained throughout the term of office." after "...representative of the ASUW."

Article VII, Section 2

Replace "strict rules and procedures approved each year by the ASUW Senate" with "ASUW Election Rules."

Article VIII, Section 1, D.

Replace "Dean of Students" with "Director, Office of Student Life"

Article VIII, Section 4, B.

Replace "Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs" with "Vice President for Student Affairs." (Both places)

Title Page:

Add: "Wherever used in this Constitution, the term University refers to the University of Wyoming."

Proposed Amendments to Senate Bill #1847

At the end of line 2, insert

“Whereas Article IV. Section 2 states that a member of the ASUW shall not be eligible to serve if they have been found, ^{of acts} ~~of acts~~ within the past two years, ^{that may} ~~that may~~ compromise their integrity as a student leader and representative of the ASUW, where it is believed that this standard should be upheld throughout their term of office; and”

To the addendum add

Article IV, Section 1

Add “and in the case of conduct issues, acts which result in the establishment of a citizenship file in the office of Student Life will result in automatic disqualification” to the paragraph reading “Failure to fulfill any of the foregoing requirements shall mean the person will be automatically disqualified from his or her position, and that position shall remain vacant until any appropriate appeals procedures have been exhausted” after position. Striking the “and” from the original paragraph, ending the sentence after position, and “That position shall remain vacant until any appropriate appeals procedures have been exhausted” will become a separate sentence.

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