SENATE BILL #2062

Title: Constitution Committee Jurisdiction over ASUW Rules and Procedures

Date: November 13, 2003

Authors: Constitution Committee

Sponsors: Senators Chollak, Goodson, Hughes, Rising

1. WHEREAS, the working documents of ASUW consist of the ASUW
2. Constitution, the ASUW By-Laws, the ASUW Rules and Procedures,
3. and the ASUW Finance Policy; and
4. WHEREAS, the ASUW By-Laws, Article II, Section 10, Paragraph A, Item 2,
5. Subsection a, grant power to the ASUW Constitution Committee to act as a
6. board of initial review and recommendation for proposed changes to the
7. ASUW Constitution and the ASUW By-Laws; and
8. WHEREAS, the Finance Policy is under the jurisdiction of the Budget and
9. Planning Committee; and
10. WHEREAS, no such power is granted in regard to matters relating to the
11. ASUW Rules and Procedures; and
12. WHEREAS, the ASUW Rules and Procedures are closely related to the
13. Constitution and the By-Laws in the governance of ASUW and would most
14. appropriately belong under the jurisdiction of the Constitution Committee.
15. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students
16. of the University of Wyoming that Article II, Section 10, Paragraph A, Item 2,
17. Subsection a and b of the By-Laws be amended to include the language as
18. outlined in Addendum A.
Referred to: Committee of the Whole

Date of Passage: December 9, 2003  Signed: [Signature]

unanimously  (ASUW Chairperson)

"Being enacted on [date], I do hereby sign my name hereto

and approve this Senate action."  [Signature]

ASUW President
Addendum A

Proposed changes to ASUW By-Laws

Article II, Section 10, Paragraph A, Item 2, Subsections a and b

New language in bold type

2. ASUW Constitution Committee
   a. **Purpose.** The Committee shall be responsible for the initial review and formulation of all proposed amendments to the ASUW Constitution and shall review changes or additions to the ASUW By-Laws and **ASUW Rules and Procedures** to insure that the By-Laws and **Rules and Procedures** are consistent with the purpose of the ASUW and the Constitution. As well, the Committee shall serve as the body of initial review and recommendation in matters of disputed interpretation of the ASUW Constitution.
   b. **Powers.** The Committee shall receive proposals and requests for recommendations regarding the ASUW Constitution, By-Laws or **Rules and Procedures**, and shall act in an advisory capacity to the ASUW Senate. The Committee may propose amendments to the ASUW Constitution and By-Laws.