

**SENATE BILL #2191**

**Title: Students' Right to Know Act of 2008**

**Date: February 4, 2008**

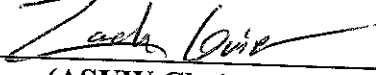
**Authors: Senators K. Day and Weaver; Vice President Guier and Executive Kroskob**

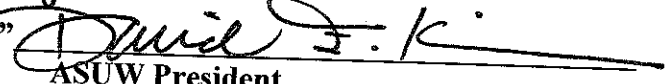
**Sponsors: Senators Averill, Carroll, McBride, Scarborough, and Watt; Executive Kuhlmann**

1. WHEREAS, the Student Government of the Associated Students of the University of
2. Wyoming (ASUW) recognizes the need to remain transparent to the students of the
3. University of Wyoming and open to their questions, concerns and ideas regarding
4. legislation pending before the ASUW Student Senate; and
5. WHEREAS, greater publicity of the existence and nature of each piece of legislation
6. would give students a better opportunity to comment to their elected representatives
7. before the ASUW Student Senate enacts or rejects a bill or resolution; and
8. WHEREAS, Senate Bill #2055 and its requirement to advertise ASUW Student Senate
9. business meeting agendas each week has informed the student population of the
10. legislative action being considered each week, but not the nature of each piece of
11. legislation; and
12. WHEREAS, an advertisement for each piece of pending legislation modeled upon the
13. example advertisement in Addendum B would help create greater awareness of the
14. ASUW Student Senate's activities and encourage greater student input on legislation.
15. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the ASUW Student Senate that the existing clauses C
16. through K within Article VI, Section 1 of the Rules and Procedures of the Student
17. Senate be relabeled as clauses D through L; and
18. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that the language in Addendum A be inserted as

19. the new Article VI, Section 1, Clause C; and
20. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that the ASUW Director of Public Relations and
21. Marketing shall be responsible for creating and submitting advertisements for future
22. pieces of legislation, pursuant to the requirements listed in Addendum A.

Referred to: Constitution Committee; Student Relations Committee

Date of Passage: February 19, 2008 Signed:   
(ASUW Chairperson)

"Being enacted on February 21, 2008, I do hereby sign my name hereto  
and approve this Senate action."   
ASUW President

## Addendum A

### RULES AND PROCEDURES OF THE STUDENT SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

#### ARTICLE VI Legislative Action

- Section 1. C. Upon referral to a standing committee by the Steering Committee, an advertisement for a bill or resolution shall be submitted to the Branding Iron. The advertisement must contain the following information: the name of the bill or resolution, a neutral brief description, the name of the committee to which the bill or resolution has been referred, the name of that committee's chairperson, and the email address or other contact information of the committee chairperson. If multiple bills or resolutions are referred by the Steering Committee at a single time, one advertisement may be used to advertise multiple bills or resolutions.

## Addendum B

Associated Students of the University of Wyoming

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- The advertisement must contain the following information: the name of the bill or resolution, a brief description of the nature and effects of the bill or resolution, the name of the committee to which the bill or resolution has been referred, the name of the committee's chairperson, and the email address or other contact information of the committee chairperson.
- This bill will help inform students of upcoming legislation and provide a forum for student feedback.

***Referred to the ASUW Constitution and Student Relations Committees***

For questions or comments contact ASUW Constitution Committee Chairman Clayton Elliott at [celliott@uwyo.edu](mailto:celliott@uwyo.edu) or Student Relations Committee Chairman Kelsey Day at [kday1@uwyo.edu](mailto:kday1@uwyo.edu) before February 19, 2008.

