



SENATE BILL #2361

TITLE: **Abernathy Procedures–March 2012**

DATE: **February 8, 2012**

AUTHORS: **Senators Defebaugh and Garcia**

SPONSORS: **Senators Drumhiller, Kahler, Wimbish, and Unangst and SAL Hull**

1. WHEREAS, Senator Abernathy has served five (5) years in the Associated Students of the
2. University of Wyoming (ASUW) and has effectively represented the studentbody; and,
3. WHEREAS, Senator Abernathy upholds the highest standards, values and traditions of the State and University of Wyoming; and,
4. WHEREAS, Senator Abernathy has had a lasting impact on past and present ASUW
5. Senates; and,
6. WHEREAS, it is difficult to recite “Rules and Procedures Article VI, Section 1, Subsection
7. L”offhandedly; and,
8. WHEREAS, Senator Abernathy is graduating and deserves recognition for his outstanding
9. service to the ASUW and the studentbody.
10. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the
11. University of Wyoming (ASUW) that the ASUW Rules and Procedures reflect the changes
12. outlined in Addendum A.

Referred to: Constitution Committee

Date of Passage: 04/10/12 Signed: [Signature]
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on 4/11/12, I do hereby sign my name hereto
and approve this Senate action.” [Signature]
ASUW President

Addendum A

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RULES AND PROCEDURES OF THE ASUW

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Article VI
Legislative Action

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Section 1. Legislative Process

L. Abernathy Clause:

i. All roll call votes shall include votes only of Senators present at roll call. Any Senators present at roll call but not responding in roll call votes shall have their votes counted as abstentions. Senators leaving prior to the adjournment of the meeting without permission of the presiding officer, and who, by their leaving, miss a roll call vote, shall have their names removed from future roll call votes of that meeting. Senators leaving with permission of the presiding officer will have their names called at any roll call votes following their return.

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M. Any action on a current bill or resolution will override previous Senate action on the same subject matter. Any legislation previously enacted by the ASUW Senate shall remain in full force and effect until such time as the ASUW Senate repeals or amends such prior actions, or it expires of its own accord, except prior actions of the ASUW Senate which shall automatically be considered superseded, if inconsistent with these by-laws.