

**SENATE BILL #1825**

**Title: By-laws & Rules and Procedures Changes**

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1 WHEREAS, Article II, Section 7, Number 4 of the ASUW By-laws calls for a  
2 Chaplain to "immediately following the call to order, ... lead the Senate in the prayer  
3 as stated in the ASUW Senate Rules and Procedures;" and  
4 WHEREAS, the Rules and Procedures of the ASUW Student Senate contain the prayer:  
5 "Dear Lord, we humbly ask your guidance in directing the actions of the Senate along  
6 a worthy path. We pray you will give us the strength and wisdom to face our problems  
7 and resolve them justly. Amen.;" and  
8 WHEREAS, ASUW does not wish for excessive entanglement in religious activity; and  
9 WHEREAS, no single prayer will be acceptable for all different religions.  
10 THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the  
11 University of Wyoming, that Article II, Section 7, Number 4 of the ASUW By-laws be  
12 amended to read as follows: "Chaplain - Immediately following the call to order, he  
13 shall encourage the Senate to join him in the reading of the Senate's Mission Statement  
14 as stated in the Rules and Procedures;" and

15 THEREFORE, be it further enacted by the Student Senate of the Associated Students  
16 of the University of Wyoming, that Section II, B of the Rules and Procedures of the  
17 ASUW Student Senate be amended to read as follows:

18 Mission Statement: "The purpose of the Student Government of the Associated  
19 Students of the University of Wyoming is to serve our fellow students in the  
20 best manner possible through accurate representation, professional interaction  
21 with campus programs and organizations, and responsible, effective  
22 leadership."

Referred to: Committee of the Whole

Date of Passage: October 29, 1996

Signed:

Dominic F. Martine  
ASUW Chairperson

"Being enacted on Nov. 5, 1996, I do hereby sign my name hereto and  
approve this Senate action."

[Signature]  
ASUW President