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SENATE BILL #2492

TITLE:

Revision of the ASUW Rules and Procedures Legislative

Sponsorship Requirements

DATE:

February 29, 2016

AUTHOR:

Vice President Kath

SPONSORS: Executive Julian; Senators Hanson, Kerbs, Maze, and Wolfgang; SAL Wetzel

- 1. WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Associated Students of the University of
- 2. Wyoming (ASUW) Student Government to represent our fellow students accurately; and,
- 3. WHEREAS, sponsorship of legislation is an effective way for students and student
- 4. organizations to take part in that representation through the legislative process; and,
- 5. WHEREAS, precedent has allowed for students and organizations not listed under the
- 6. ASUW Rules and Procedures, Article VI, Section 1, subsection A, to sponsor legislation;
- 7. and,
- 8. WHEREAS, the participation of individual Students-at-Large, ASUW Programs and
- 9. Services, and Recognized Student Organizations should be encouraged and outlined in our
- 10. working documents in order to increase student interaction with legislation that directly
- 11. affects them.
- 12. THEREFORE, be it enacted that the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
- 13. (ASUW) Student Government make efforts through outreach to include greater participation
- 14. in the legislative process through sponsorship of bills and resolutions; and,
- 15. THEREFORE, be it further enacted by the ASUW Student Government that the ASUW
- 16. Rules and Procedures, Article VI, Section 1, subsection A be amended to reflect the changes
- 17. outlined in Addendum A; and,
- 18. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that these changes be effective upon passage.

Referred to: Constitution

Date of Passage: 3/22/W Signed: (ASUW Charrperson)

"Being enacted on 3/28/2016, I do hereby sign my name hereto and approve this Senate action."

ASUW President

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Addendum A

Article VI

Legislative Action

Section 1. Legislative Process

A. Bills and resolutions may be submitted by any fee paying student. All bills and resolutions must be sponsored by no less than two (2) Senators of the ASUW Senate, who are not authors, or by an ASUW standing committee. Students-at-Large, ASUW Programs or Services, and Recognized Student Organizations may also sponsor legislation. Regardless of their fee paying student status, members of the Judicial Council may not author or sponsor legislation due to their association.