



SENATE BILL #2999

TITLE: **Updating Protocol for PID Committee Approval of Program Legislation**

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SPONSORS: President Murfitt, Senators Schliebe, Rzeszut, Saint, Morales and Brown

1. WHEREAS, the purpose of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
2. (ASUW) is to serve our fellow students in the best manner possible; and,
3. WHEREAS, the Program and Institutional Development (PID) Committee has approval
4. over program legislation; and,
5. WHEREAS, the ASUW By-Laws state that the PID Committee has ten (10) days to
6. approve program legislation; and,
7. WHEREAS, this section of the bylaws has become unnecessary in its current form as it
8. describes a power of the PID committee which is codified in the bylaws in a separate
9. section; and,
10. WHEREAS, 10 days is an arbitrary amount of time that hinders this legislation from
11. being heard by PID in certain cases; and,
12. WHEREAS, in the current language it automatically passes which defeats the purpose of
13. PID supervising programs.
14. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
15. (ASUW) Student Government that the ASUW By-Laws Section 10, Article D, be
16. updated to reflect the changes made in Addendums A and B; and,
17. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that these changes take effect upon the passage of

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18. this bill.

Referred to: PID, Steering

Date of Passage: September 17th, 2024



Signed:

(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on September 17th 2024, I do hereby sign my name hereto

and approve this Senate action.”



ASUW President

Addendum A

~~e. Approval of Program Legislation: If an ASUW program passes legislation required to be approved by PID, the committee has the following powers. The Committee shall vote on one of the following motions: approve the legislation or veto the legislation. This vote shall be a simple majority roll call of the committee. If passed, the Chair of the Committee shall sign the bill into effect. If vetoed, it shall return to the program. After (10) days, if neither action is taken by the committee the bill will go into effect without approval of PID.~~

Addendum B

- b. Powers: The Committee shall advise and assist all ASUW Programs and Services of the ASUW and shall formally and evaluate aspects of the each and provide recommendations on how they can best fulfill their mission and goals. The Committee will maintain regular contact with all Programs and Services of the ASUW and will regularly provide institutional and programmatic support to each. The Committee will be tasked with electing an ex-officio for the Student Athlete Advisory Committee. The Committee will be responsible for submitting yearly reports to the Budget and Planning Committee pertaining to the effectiveness and need for funding in specific areas for each ASUW program. Additionally, the Committee shall be responsible for the formulation and execution of long-term policies and goals for the ASUW Student Government and its Programs and Services. To this end, it shall conduct an annual review of the current ASUW Strategic Plan, with the ASUW President and ASUW Assistant Director also assisting. If necessary, this report shall contain recommended changes to the strategic plan to ensure its continued relevance, which can be passed through the legislative process. The committee shall be responsible for creating institutional restructuring when appropriate to improve ASUW processes. PID shall have the authority to request any information it deems necessary of other ASUW Committees and entities, and it shall use this information to determine areas that require additional focus. Subsequently, the Committee will be responsible for formulating action plans to address these areas of concern. **The Committee will have the power to pass or veto program legislation in a manner determined by the chair.** The Committee shall be vested with all necessary and appropriate powers to carry out its purpose under these rules.