ASMSU 2017-B-18

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Vote Necessary: A majority

Sections: 2-7

Intent: Fix a discrepancy between the Constitution and Bylaws.

Section 2-7 Senate Leadership

A. Composition

1. Senate Leadership shall consist of the Senate Speaker and the Senate Speaker Pro Tempore.

B. Appointment and Term

1. Senate Leadership shall be appointed by a ballot vote of the ASMSU Senate. The winner shall be decided by a simple plurality vote of present voting members of the ASMSU Senate.

2. Senate Leadership shall be appointed at the meeting during which the Senate is sworn in following the election and serve a one-year term.

3. There is no limit to the number of terms a Senator may serve as the Senate Speaker or Senate Speaker Pro Tempore.

C. Vacancy

1. If the Senate Speaker position becomes vacant, the Senate Speaker Pro Tempore shall assume the responsibilities of the Senate Speaker until a new Senate Speaker may be appointed. The appointment of the new Senate Speaker shall occur at the next regularly scheduled Senate meeting.

2. If the Senate Speaker Pro Tempore position becomes vacant, the Senate Speaker shall assume the responsibilities of the Senate Speaker pro-tem until the next meeting of the Senate. The Senate shall appoint a new Senate Speaker Pro Tempore at the next regularly scheduled Senate meeting in the same manner as the original appointment.

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3. If both the Senate Speaker and Senate Speaker Pro Tempore positions become vacant, the President shall appoint a Senate Speaker until the next Senate meeting, during which both positions shall be appointed.