Bill #17-02

ASI Bylaws Amendment – The Voting Integrity of the Recruitment and Development Committee

Article I. Origin
This Bill is presented in accordance with the ASI Bylaws by Alexandra Bonestroo, College of Science and Mathematics.

Article II. Purpose
The purpose of Bill #17-02 is to maintain an unbiased vote within the Recruitment and Development Committee and the integrity of the ASI Elections. This bill would ensure that the voting members of the committee who are campaign workers keep their votes free of bias on action items. If an individual is unable to maintain this, the continuation of the individual’s membership on the committee should be determined by rules outlined in the Election Code.

Article III. Background
In the past, individuals have raised concerns of the possibility of bias on action items pertaining to the ASI Elections from committee members that are also campaign workers. This change would hold each member to the highest level of integrity and alleviate any skepticism in regards to the ASI Elections.

Article IV. Implementation
With the recommended changes it would now state:

4.3.5.2.2. If a voting member is also a declared Campaign Worker in the next student election, that member is required to maintain an unbiased vote. However, if they are unable to remain unbiased, that member may send a request to the ASI Chair of the Board of Directors to move them to a different committee and/or another committee member may submit a formal complaint to the Chair of the Recruitment and Development Committee. This complaint will be handled in accordance with the ASI Election Code.
CERTIFIED As the true and correct copy, in witness thereof, I have set my hand and seal of the Associated Students, Inc. this ____day of ______, 2017.

ASI Secretary

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ASI Executive Director

Sponsored By: Lexie Bonestroo, College of Science and Mathematics

ADOPTED at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors by majority/unanimous vote on _____________, 2017.

ASI Chair of the Board