



LEGISLATIVE STEERING COMMITTEE

BILL # SP_2017-001

2017 SPRING SESSION

Constitution Bylaw

Legislative Action: Proposed Legislation to Amend GPSA Bylaws

Introduced by: Legislative Steering Committee (LSC)

1st Reading: 2/16/17 Referred To:

2nd Reading: Committee Action:

3rd Reading: Council Action:

Executive Action:

Approved Vetoed

GPSA President Date

Unsigned by the President on this day of 20 . Bill automatically becomes law.

Legislative Response:

Veto override vote taken: Council Action:

Be it enacted by the Graduate and Professional Student Association at the University of New Mexico that the following be amended in (Article IV., Section 7 – (c)) of the GPSA Constitution/Bylaw:

See Pg. 20 - Added language to Article IV., Section 7 - (c) – language to incorporate Vice Chair position into LSC. Article 4, Section 7... Under "Selection" copy same language as A... C.

Section 7. Legislative Standing Committees

A. Legislative Standing Committee Chairs

1. Selection

- a. Legislative Standing Committee Chairs shall be selected by the Council Chair and approved by a majority vote of Council at the first (1st) regular Council meeting of the session.
b. Committee Chair appointments must be approved by Council prior to assuming Committee Chair duties.
c. Legislative Standing Committee Vice Chair shall be selected by the LSC and approved by a majority vote of Council at the second (2nd) regular Council meeting of the session.

2. Duties, Powers, Responsibilities



- 43 a. Each Committee Chair, in conjunction with the membership of the committee,
44 shall maintain a schedule of meetings for that Council session, to be posted in
45 accordance with TPNR.
- 46 3. Reports
- 47 a. Written Legislative Committee Chair reports shall be given once per semester to
48 Council.
- 49 4. Payment
- 50 a. The amount of payment shall be determined through the annual budget process.
51 b. Disbursement of payment is subject to the fulfillment of the Committee Chair's
52 duties as verified by the Council Chair or Council.
- 53 a. Disbursement shall be at the end of each semester in which the Committee Chair
54 served.
- 55 5. Removal
- 56 a. In addition to removal by the Council Chair, a Legislative Standing Committee
57 Chair may also be removed by Council with a two-thirds (2/3) vote.
- 58 b. If a Committee Chair is removed or resigns, the committee shall select another
59 member to serve as interim Committee Chair until a replacement is appointed by
60 the Council Chair and approved by Council.
- 61 c. Council may vote whether or not the removed Chair may continue to serve as a
62 member on that committee.
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