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Resolution No. 009-2425

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF RUSTOM OLASO AS THE DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR OF THE SAMAHAN COMMUNICATIONS

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WHEREAS, according to Article V, Section 5.3 of the 2020 SAMAHAN Constitution, the Student Assembly shall “Serve as the Commission on Appointments which shall review, approve, and/or reject appointments made by the SAMAHAN Central Board, which shall only include Department Heads and Commissioners;”

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2024, the SAMAHAN Central Board President, Hon. Leen Juliet S. Lapatis, issued Memorandum No. SCB-Pres-03-060124, titled “Appointment of the SAMAHAN Deputies and Department Directors for A.Y. 2024-2025,” which officially appointed Mr. Rustom Olaso (hereafter referred to as the Appointee) as the Department Director of the SAMAHAN Communications;

WHEREAS, according to Article V, Section 5.3.1 of the 2020 SAMAHAN Constitution, “The Student Assembly shall require the SAMAHAN Central Board to submit the Curriculum Vitae of the appointee, accompanied by a Letter of Endorsement;”

WHEREAS, according to Article VIII, Section 1.3 of the 2023 Student Assembly Code of Legislative Procedures, “As part of the deliberation process, a Panel Interview with the new Department Directors and Head Commissioners must be conducted inside the Student Assembly;”

WHEREAS, it was identified through the Curriculum Vitae, Letter of Endorsement, and the Panel Interview that the appointee has a vast knowledge of the role and the experience working within the department, equipping him to effectively fulfill his duties as



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the Department Director of the SAMAHAN Communications;

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2024, the Student Assembly received Mr. Rustom Olaso's Curriculum Vitae and Letter of Endorsement, and the Commission on Appointments subsequently conducted a panel interview for his prospective appointment approval on July 18, 2024;

WHEREAS, the Student Assembly acknowledges the importance of timely and effective appointments to maintain operational continuity and foster a productive environment within the organization;

WHEREAS, the Student Assembly values the feedback and contributions of all members in the appointment process, ensuring that the selected candidates align with the organization's mission and values;

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the SAMAHAN community to finalize the appointment of Mr. Rustom Olaso to uphold the organization's standards of leadership and governance;

WHEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Commission recognizes his readiness to undertake the responsibilities associated with the position and encourages him to advance diligently and champion the goals and initiatives of the SAMAHAN Communications emphasizing the importance of pursuing these objectives with unwavering dedication and effectual execution;

WHEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, following thorough and meticulous review, the Commission on Appointments, led by SAMAHAN's Vice President and the Convener and Chairperson of the 4th Student Assembly, Hon. Sung Goon Acosta, has concluded that Mr. Rustom Olaso exhibits a solid grasp of the duties related to his role as the Department Director of the SAMAHAN Communications, along with a clear comprehension of the department's goals;

WHEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Commission on Appointments extends its commendations to Mr. Rustom Olaso for his notable qualifications and thorough preparation for the role;



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WHEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the appointment of Mr. Rustom Olaso as the Department Director of the SAMAHAN Communications has been duly approved.

Approved by the 4th Student Assembly on the 21st day of September, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.



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