

SEVENTH COUNCIL LEGISLATION 3

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TO BE PRESENTED : 2 March 2023

FOR : *Seventh College Student Council & the
Seventh College Rules Committee*

SUBJECT : SEVENTH COUNCIL LEGISLATION3, S.C.Legislation.3

I. ESTABLISHMENT & PURPOSE

1. Proposing an amendment to the Bylaws of the Seventh College Student Council to:

A. Clarify the purpose, power, & authority vested in the Seventh College Student Council Rules Committee,

B. Establish procedures for legislation pertaining to amending the Constitution, Bylaws, & other governing documents of the 7CSC to be submitted to the Rules Committee,

C. And authorise the Rules Committee to bring the Bylaws into alignment with Title I.6.

2. The present Amendment shall be presented to the Seventh College Student Council. It shall require review by the Seventh College Rules Committee & the approval by two-thirds vote of the entire Seventh College Student Council membership to pass.

II. AMENDMENTS TO AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE

1. Currently read under Title III.1e.ii.1 as “To review all legislation pertaining to...” strike & insert “To review and amend all legislation pertaining to...” as an amendment to the aforementioned clause.

2. Currently read under Title III.1e.ii as follows:

“3. All decisions made by the Rules Committee will be recommended to the 7CSC during the subsequent regular meeting, or when deemed appropriate by the Rules Committee Chair.

4. Shall not have the power to interpret the meaning of the Constitution, the Special Rules of Order or the Standing Rules of the Council.”

Strike & insert with the following as an amendment to the aforementioned clause:

“3. To bring these Bylaws into alignment with the formatting requirements outlined under Title I.

(a.) All formatting corrections implemented shall be introduced at the next 7CSC meeting.

(b.) All formatting corrections implemented may be overturned by majority vote of the 7CSC of the entire membership of 7CSC.

4. All decisions made by the Rules Committee will be recommended to the 7CSC during the subsequent regular meeting.

5. Shall not have the power to interpret the meaning of the Constitution, the Special Rules of Order or the Standing Orders of the Council.”

III. AMENDMENTS TO PROCEDURE

1. Currently read under Title III.1e.iv as follows:

- “1. Legislation shall be approved by a majority vote of members present.
 - a. The Chair shall only vote when it will change the outcome.
- 2. All legislation decisions shall be presented at the following 7CSC meeting.
 - a. The legislation may be overturned by a two-thirds vote of the entire membership of 7CSC.”

Strike & insert with following as an amendment to the aforementioned clause:

- “1. Legislation pertaining to amending the Constitution, Bylaws, and other governing documents of the 7CSC must be submitted to Rules Committee before ratification by 7CSC.
- 2. Reviewed legislation to be presented to 7CSC shall be approved by a majority vote of members present.
 - (a.) The Chair shall only vote when it will change the outcome.
 - (3.) All legislation decisions shall be submitted no less than forty-eight (48) hours before the meeting.
 - (4.) All legislation decisions rejected by 7CSC may be revisited and reviewed by the Rules Committee.”

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