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Report of the Accountability Committee to SSMU Legislative Council

Convened on Monday, Nov. 20th from 11 AM to 12 PM.

Present: Director Anderson, Director Scheffel, Director Schaffer-Wood, and Parliamentarian Tessonno.

Regrets: Speaker (the newly hired speaker was not trained or accustomed with SSMU operations then).

Guest Speakers

- There were no guest speakers present.

New Business

- Membership of the committee:
 - The committee was notified in November that we did not have members-at-large (four - as outlined by this committee's terms of reference).
 - Interview process for the recruitment of the four (4) members-at-large took place from Nov. 27th, 2017 to Dec. 4th, 2017.
- Framework of evaluation:
 - The committee is looking into creating a more formal process of evaluation as it does not have one. It would be good and efficient to have this framework institutionalized, so future committee members do not have to start all over in the future.
 - The committee is open to suggestions, please email the co-chair, Parliamentarian Tessonno (parliamentarian@ssmu.ca) for your suggestions.

Upcoming publications

- For the second Legislative Council of the Winter semester, January 25th, 2018, please expect:
 - An explanation of the framework used to evaluate the representatives' performances.
 - A more detailed report with a performance review from Senators, Councillors, and Officers of the Society.

Respectfully submitted,
Christelle Tessonno, Parliamentarian and committee co-chair.