**Notice of Motion Regarding the Restructuring of the Internal Regulations Books**

WHEREAS, the current structure of the Internal Regulations is divided by portfolio;

WHEREAS, not all portfolios require Internal Regulations;

WHEREAS, stratifying the Society’s Internal Regulations by content and not portfolio may lead to increased clarity and organization;

**Submitted For:** March 31, 2016

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT the Internal Regulations of the Society be reorganized as outlined below in Appendix A;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT By-Laws Book IV be repealed;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Interim Provisions for Student Senators be renewed as Interim Provisions until the end of Fall 2016;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT all definitions be moved along with their associated Internal Regulations;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Internal Regulations of the University Affairs Portfolio IR-03 and IR-04 be repealed;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Internal Regulations of the Presidential Portfolio IR-01: Structure, Function, Interpretation, and Amendment of the Internal Regulations Article 5.2 be amended to read as follows:

5.2) In the event of a conflict between the Internal Regulations, the following

order of priority shall apply:

1. Internal Regulations of Society Governance
2. Internal Regulations of the Society’s Finances
3. Internal Regulations of Elections and Referenda
4. Internal Regulations of Representation
5. Internal Regulations of Student Groups

**Moved by:**  
Executive Committee

Adam Templer, Arts Representative

Sean Taylor, Science Representative

**Appendix A – Organization of the Internal Regulations**

1. Internal Regulations of Society Governance
   1. Structure, Function, Interpretation, and Amendment
   2. Administration of the Society
   3. General Assembly
   4. Board of Directors[[1]](#footnote-1)
   5. Legislative Council
   6. Judicial Board
   7. Elections SSMU[[2]](#footnote-2)
   8. First Year Council[[3]](#footnote-3)
   9. Resolutions, Policies and Plans
2. Internal Regulations of Representation
   1. Undergraduate University Representation[[4]](#footnote-4)
   2. Municipal, Provincial and Federal Representation
   3. Libraries
3. Internal Regulations of the Society’s Finances[[5]](#footnote-5)
   1. Interpretation
   2. Financial Responsibility
   3. Budgeting
   4. Financial Procedures
   5. Funding Committee
   6. Fees
   7. Funds
4. Internal Regulations of Elections and Referenda[[6]](#footnote-6)
   1. Interpretation
   2. General
   3. Elections
   4. Referenda
   5. Campaigning
   6. Polling, Scrutineering, Voting, and Counting
   7. Investigation and Sanctions
   8. Special Elections
   9. Fee Referenda
5. Internal Regulations of Student Groups
   1. Interpretation
   2. Administration
   3. Accredited Groups of the Society
   4. Political Campaigns

1. Assumes that the *Motion Regarding the Restructuring of the Board of Directors* is approved [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Assumes that *the Motion Regarding the Service Status of Elections SSMU* is approved. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. Assumes that the *Motion Regarding the Restructuring of First Year Council.* [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
4. Assumes that the *Motion Regarding the Amendment of the Internal Regulations of the University Affairs Portfolio* is approved. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. Assumes that the *Motion Regarding the Amendment of the Internal Regulations of the Finance and Operations Portfolio* is approved, which will result in the amalgamation of the University Affairs Portfolio By-Law Book into the Internal Regulations of the Finance and Operations Portfolio. [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
6. The specific IRs under the Internal Regulations of Elections and Referenda are subject to change based on the approval of the *Motion Regarding the Implementation of the Electoral Reform Committee’s Recommendations*. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)