Motion Regarding Policy on VP Internal Intoxication and V.I.P Culture at SSMU Events  
2018-09-13

WHEREAS, there has been an historical abuse of power in the portfolio of the Vice-President (Internal Affairs) that has normalized spending copious amounts of money on alcohol and other perquisites for those individuals planning SSMU’s drinking events;

WHEREAS, all members of the Students’ Society Programming Network (SSPN) must act as role models to event attendees;

WHEREAS, the Vice-President (Internal Affairs) is the highest authority at all events facilitated by the SSPN and, thus, must be in their optimal mental and physical state at all said events;

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT SSMU funds must not be spent on alcoholic beverages exclusively for SSPN members or for any other individuals planning SSMU events,

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT that the Vice-President (Internal Affairs) not become intoxicated at SSMU events of which they are in charge;

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT that this policy shall expire on September 30, 2021.

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT if the Vice-President (Internal Affairs) is caught intoxicated at a SSMU event that they be immediately suspended subject to review by the Accountability Committee.

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT any accusations that the Vice-President (Internal Affairs) became intoxicated to the point that they were incapable of performing their duties at a SSMU event of which they were in charge be brought to the Legislative Council for a discussion and vote on possible disciplinary measures.

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