Sixty-Second Legislative Council

of the

Associated Students

Begun and held at the University of California at Santa Barbara, in the City of Santa Barbara on the fifth day of October, two thousand eleven, in the sixty-second year of our association.

A Bill to Add All Positions in Business Services to the Selection and Term of Office Section of the Legal Code

Whereas: The four Project Developers and two Project researchers are in the voting membership but not in the Selection and Term of Office.

Whereas: Com on Com can’t appoint these positions until they are added to Selection and Term of Office.

Therefore let it be enacted by the Associated Students in the Legislative Council assembled:

SECTION 7.  A.S. BUSINESS SERVICES COMMITTEE

A) Charge of the Committee:

To act as a consulting body for the following Associated Students’ Businesses and Services: A.S. Bike Shop, A.S. Cashiers, A.S. Publications, A.S. Ticket Office, A.S. Legal Resource Center, and any new services which may be developed by the Sub-Committee. This committee will serve as a recommending body for the aforementioned groups to the Legislative Council and the A.S. Executive Director. In conjunction with the Business Managers, will make recommendations to Finance Board regarding the yearly budget. It will review, evaluate, and ensure compliance with business policies and contracts. It will also serve as a liaison between A.S. Business Managers, student employees and Legislative Council. The Committee will seek proposals for other business enterprises or ventures and will serve as the recommending body to Legislative Council for all proposals for future A.S. business enterprises.

A.S. Business Services Committee will seek to improve the existing business enterprises. This may include but is not limited to seeking ways to improve sales through advertising, sales promotions, and other methods. The Committee may make recommendations as to improvements in daily operations. Finally, the Committee will seek, explore and develop proposals for new business enterprise ventures.

An A.S. Business Enterprise is one that is defined as an enterprise that offers a well-defined service to the student body of UCSB as well as the surrounding community. Any A.S. "enterprise" which employs personnel, and operates in full or in part on earned revenue shall be deemed an A.S. Business Enterprise and be subject to the policies and rules governing such.

An A.S. Service is one that is defined as offering a service to the student body of UCSB as well as the surrounding community. Unlike an enterprise, a service shall be treated as a special project
and may or may not employ personnel. The primary goal of an A.S. Service is to provide a beneficial service and shall be operated primarily by A.S. funding and all proceeds, if any, shall be reallocated to A.S. through the Suspense Account Process.

B) Voting Membership

1) Business Services Chair
2) Business Services Vice-Chair
3) Four (4) Project Developers
4) Two (2) Project Researchers
5) One (1) Legislative Council Member
6) One (1) Environmental Affairs Board Sustainable Business Coordinator

C) Non-voting Membership

1) Business Managers from respective A.S. Enterprises
2) A.S. Executive Director
3) A.S. Assistant Director for Administration
4) A.S. President
5) A.S. Controller(s)
6) Any Student at Large

D) Selection & Term of Office:

1) The Chair, and Vice Chair, four (4) Project Developers, and two (2) Project Researchers shall be interviewed by Committee on Committees and by appointed by the President to be approved by 2/3 of Legislative Council for a term of one (1) academic year. The one (1) Legislative Council Representative shall be nominated by the Internal Vice President and approved by the Legislative Council for the term of one (1) year.

E) Duties and Powers of the Committee:

1) Advise Legislative Council on all policies of the Associated Students' Recycling, Notetaking, Publishing, Bike Shop, Cashiers, Ticket Office and any new services developed by the sub-committee.
2) Facilitate networking between the businesses.
3) Assist in the improvements of existing A.S. Business Services.
4) Draft, review, and implement proposals for new A.S. Businesses and Services.
5) Serve as a formal recommending body to Legislative Council for all business enterprise affairs.
6) Assist the businesses in the formation of the annual budget presented to Legislative Council. During the Winter quarter, the committee will assist the businesses in presenting their respective budgets to Finance Board during the annual Budget Hearings.
7) Review existing contracts for all A.S. businesses and services. This will include overseeing the bidding process for Legal Service contracts.
8) Conduct a yearly evaluation of all A.S. businesses and services. This may be conducted by student evaluations of the businesses and services.
9) Implement new sustainable businesses across campus.

F) Duties and Powers of the Chair:

1) Hold weekly meetings with the committee.
2) Attend two (2) Legislative Council meetings per quarter and deliver a report to Legislative Council.

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