

THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS  
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH

**Bill Number:** Senate Resolution #2018-22  
**Title:** Call for Special Election for Amendment to Chapter One of the ASI Bylaws  
**Sponsored by:** Vice President Sofia Musman  
**Date Submitted:** April 11, 2018  
**Date Approved:** April 18, 2018

**WHEREAS** the Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) is the single recognized voice for over 37,000 students of the university; and

**WHEREAS** in the 2016-2017 academic year, the ASI Senate/Board of Directors passed Senate Resolution #2017-34 Bylaw Amendment for Increased Inclusivity calling for the gender pronouns he/she, him/her, and his/hers to be changed to variations of they/them/theirs to be supportive and inclusive of other gender identities; and

**WHEREAS** by virtue of adopting the above resolution, the ASI Senate/Board of Directors was able to amend Chapter Two of the ASI Bylaws in accordance with its authority as the Board of Directors; and

**WHEREAS** a recommendation was made to the 2017-2018 ASI Senate/Board of Directors to amend Chapter One of the ASI Bylaws reflecting this change; and


**WHEREAS** amendments to Chapter One of the ASI Bylaws must be proposed by a two-thirds vote of the ASI Senate; and

**WHEREAS** amendments to Chapter One of the ASI Bylaws must receive a favorable vote by a 60% majority of the members of the Associated Students voting in an election on the proposed amendment; now therefore, be it

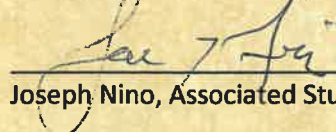
**RESOLVED** that the 2017-2018 ASI Senate/Board of Directors calls for a student body vote on the amendment to Chapter One of the ASI Bylaw to change the gender pronouns as indicated above; and be it further

**RESOLVED** that upon the approval of this resolution, a special election be called for the purpose of approving this amendment in accordance with the provisions outlined in the current version of the Elections Handbook; and be it finally

**RESOLVED** that an electronic copy of this resolution, upon its approval by the ASI President be distributed to CSULB President Jane Conoley, Vice President for Student Affairs Carmen Taylor, all current and future ASI Officers, the Daily 49er, and 22 West Magazine.

  
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Sofia Musman, Vice President &  
Chair, Associated Students Board of Directors

Delivered to the President of the Associated Students on:

  
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Joseph Nino, Associated Students President

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