

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

Bill Number: Senate Resolution # 2019-13
Title: Bylaw Amendment for Social Justice & Equity Committee and Lobby Corps Students-at-Large Election Process
Sponsored by: Vice President Leen Almahdi and Senator-at-Large Omar Prudencio-Gonzalez
Date Submitted: April 17, 2019
Date Approved: May 8, 2019

- WHEREAS** the Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) Board of Directors at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) is the recognized voice for over 37,000 students; and
- WHEREAS** that historically, the Social Justice and Equity Committee (SJEC), as well as, Lobby Corps have all applicants interviewed by the board and elected by the Senate; and
- WHEREAS** that this process slows down the productivity of the board since electing students-at-large and starting their onboarding training can only take place once the fall semester begins; and
- WHEREAS** that changing this procedure helps the board begin their advocacy earlier on in the semester; now therefore, be it
- RESOLVED** that the AS Bylaws Chapter II, Article I will be edited to reflect the following changes:
- Article I, Section 15, B2:
"Three (3) students-at-large will be elected at the start of the academic year (June 1st-May 31st) by the Senate. Any board vacancy throughout the year will be filled through a recommendation by the Committee and elected by the Senate;" and be it further
- RESOLVED** that Chapter II, Article I of the bylaws will be edited to reflect the following changes:
- Article I, Section 16, B2:
"Three (3) students-at-large will be elected at the start of the academic year (June 1st-May 31st) by the Senate. Any board vacancy throughout the year will be filled through a recommendation by the Committee and elected by the Senate;" and be it further
- RESOLVED** that this resolution allows the Vice President the authority to reflect current changes of this resolution throughout the AS Bylaws; 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, Interim Vice President for Student Affairs Mary Ann Takemoto, Dean of Students Piya Bose, all current and future ASI Officers, the Daily 49er, and 22 West Media.

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Leen Almahdi

Leen Almahdi, Vice President &
Chair, Associated Students Board of Directors

Delivered to the President of the Associated Students on:

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