

Associated Students of Western Washington University

Election Code Review Committee Charge & Charter November 2010

I. **CHARGE** To review and make appropriate recommendations to the AS Board of Directors

regarding the AS Election Code in order to simplify, clarify, and encourage more

professional & equitable campaigns.

II. MEMBERSHIP AS Elections Coordinator (Chair)

AS Vice President for Business and Operations or designee

3-5 students at large

Assistant Director of Student Activities-Advisor, non-voting

Any member of this committee must resign their position upon formally declaring their intent to run in an election governed by the AS Election Code.

III. CHAIR The Chairperson shall be the AS Elections Coordinator. (S)he shall convene the

meetings, approve agendas, and preside at all meetings.

IV. MEETINGS Meetings shall be called by the Chair. The committee shall meet as necessary,

with a minimum of twenty four (24) hours notice. Meetings may also be called by any member with support of at least twenty-five (25%) of the seated, voting

membership.

V. VOTING In order for a motion to pass, it must obtain a majority of the legal votes cast.

An abstention shall not count as a legal vote cast.

VI. QUORUM A majority of the voting membership shall constitute a quorum. If a quorum is

not present, the Chair will adjourn the meeting and reschedule to a new day and

hour.

VII. SUBCOMMITTEES In order to provide for coordination and direction, the committee may establish

subcommittees as necessary. Unless otherwise noted, these groups shall follow

the provisions of the committee with respect to procedure.

VIII. RULES The committee may adopt and amend rules of operation governing its

OF OPERATION operation by a majority vote of the committee, subject to review or approval by

the AS Board of Directors.

IX. AMENDMENTS This Charter may be amended by a majority vote of the AS Board of Directors.

X. REPORTAGE This committee shall report to the AS Board of Directors through the AS

Elections Coordinator.