# **University of Alberta Students' Union Elections**

Students' Council and GFC Election Ruling



### Ruling #1

March 2017 Students' Council and GFC Election Attendance at Mandatory Candidates' Meeting – Multiple Candidates

#### Parties to the Ruling

- Eddie Wang, Candidate for Students' Council and General Faculties Council Engineering
- Katelynn Nguyen, Candidate for Students' Council and General Faculties Council Engineering
- Abigail Bridarolli, Candidate for Students' Council and General Faculties Council Nursing
- Hyejun Kim, Candidate for Students' Council Science
- Anthony Nguyen, Candidate for Students' Council and General Faculties Council Science
- Smit Patel, Candidate for General Faculties Council Science
- LJ Valencia, Candidate for General Faculties Council Arts
- Donald Ademaj, Chief Returning Officer

### Applicable Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations

Rules & Regulations §1.3 (Candidates' Meeting)

#### Facts

- 1. All 7 candidates submitted valid and complete nomination packages for the March 2017 Students' Council and General Faculties Council Election.
- 2. All 7 candidates were present at the Candidates' Meeting explaining bylaws and regulations
- 3. All 7 candidates were not present for the mandatory candidates' meeting at 6 pm on March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017
- 4. All 7 candidates did not designate a proxy for the candidates meeting in writing to the Chief Returning Officer

## Ruling

1. Bylaw 2300 §10 and Rules and Regulations §1.3 were not respected by the aforementioned candidate, therefore a penalty should be assessed.

#### Penalty

1. All 7 candidates are fined \$10 to their budget.

So decided: Thursday, March 23 @ 23:30. Time limit for appeal: Friday, March 24 @ 23:30.

Please direct any inquiries towards: Donald Ademaj Chief Returning Officer University of Alberta Students' Union