University of Alberta Students’ Union Elections
Students’ Council and GFC Election Ruling

Ruling #1
Attendance at Mandatory Candidates’ Meeting – Nicholas Li, Candidate for Students’ Council and GFC – Kinesiology, Sport and Recreation

Parties to the Ruling

• Nicholas Li, Candidate for Students’ Council and GFC – Kinesiology, Sport and Recreation
• Nadia Halabi, Chief Returning Officer

Applicable Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations

• Bylaw 2300 §10 (Candidate Registration Meeting)
• Bylaw 2300 §11 (Content of the Candidate Registration Meeting)
• Rules & Regulations §1.3 (Candidates’ Meeting)

Facts

1. Nicholas Li submitted valid and complete nomination packages for the March 2018 Students’ Council and General Faculties Council Election, prior to the extended nomination deadline on Tuesday, March 13 at 16:00.
2. Candidate Nicholas Li was not present at the mandatory candidates’ meeting on Tuesday, March 13 at 18:00, at the time when the Chief Returning Officer was taking attendance as per Bylaw 2300 §11(f).
3. Candidate Nicholas Li did not designate a proxy for the candidates meeting 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. Nicholas Li will be disqualified from the Students’ Council (Kinesiology, Sport and Recreation) race.

Decided: Wednesday, March 14 @ 15:30.
Time limit for appeal: Thursday, March 15 @ 15:30.

Please direct any inquiries towards:

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