



University of Alberta Students' Union Elections

Executive Election Ruling

Ruling #2

March 2018 Executive and BOG Representative Elections

Poster Violation – Stephen Raitz, Candidate for Vice President Student Life Race

Parties to the Ruling

- Stephen Raitz, Candidate for Vice President Student Life Race
- Aila Jamali, Complainant and Campaign Manager for Andre Bourgeois, Vice President Student Life Candidate
- Nicole Jones, Complainant
- Nadia Halabi, Chief Returning Officer

Applicable Bylaws, Rules, Regulations

- Bylaw 2200, section 37.3: “The C.R.O. shall set a minimum distance between posters or signs that are placed outside belonging to the same candidate or side.”
- Section 3.3 of the Nomination Package states: “The minimum distance between posters shall be ten (10) feet in all directions.”

Facts

1. The Chief Returning Officer received two pictures via email on February 26, 2018 at 9:51 and 19:58 showing Stephen Raitz' posters posted on the same billboard in the KATZ building.
2. The four posters were not ten feet apart, violating regulations set out in the nomination package.
3. Attached below is proof of the violation.

Ruling

1. Bylaw 2200 was not respected by the candidate mentioned above, therefore a fine shall be assessed.

Penalty

1. Stephen Raitz will be fined \$2.00 per poster, for a total of \$8.00 for this violation.

Decided: February 27, 2018 at 14:50

Time Limit for appeal: February 28, 2018 at 14:50

Please direct any inquiries towards:

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