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**An Amendment to the Tenth Chapters of the Redefine the Classification of the Appointments
Committee**

A bill for the consideration of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government

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Whereas, the mission of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government (hereafter LSA SG) is to “actively seek the voices of LSA students and advocate their interests to improve academic and non-academic life”;¹ and,

Whereas, LSA SG utilizes its Bylaws to structure and facilitate official business, and recognizes the need for amendments to the Bylaws to improve its function; and,

Whereas, it is fitting for a subcommittee to be located below a committee in the current bloc structure of LSA SG; and,

Whereas, the functions of Appointments will not change under the suggested amendment and the current leadership will not be displaced.

Be it therefore resolved, that the Bylaws be amended in accordance with the language in Appendix A; and,

Be it further resolved, as a clerical note, that this amendment be construed as the disbandment of the Appointments Committee and creation of the Appointments Subcommittee with largely identical bylaws, the same position within its present bloc, and the same goals; and,

Be it finally resolved, that these changes take effect at the time of the next internal elections in which the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Appointments Subcommittee are elected.

¹ The Constitution of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government. Article II

Appendix A

Appointments *Subc*ommittee

10.02.00 **Purpose.** The Appointments *Subc*ommittee shall be the only body to recommend students to the Government for appointment to the following bodies:

- (a) Vacant LSA representative seats on the Central Student Government
- (b) Vacant representative seats on the LSA SG. Representative seats may only be appointed to fill the position until the election results announcement of the term in which they were appointed.

10.02.01 **Amendments.** Amendments to this Chapter of the Bylaws must be approved by a majority vote of the Government. The *Subc*ommittee may however issue such temporary rules and procedures that are consistent with this chapter on a case-by-case basis in order to facilitate expediency and efficiency.

10.02.02 **Composition.** The *Subc*ommittee shall consist of

- A) A Chair, who must be an Elected Representative.
- B) A Vice-Chair, who must be an Elected Representative.

10.02.03 **Duties.** The duties of the *Subc*ommittee shall be as follows:

- A) The Chair and Vice-Chair, shall organize outreach initiatives that increase participation in the Government. The Chair and Vice Chair shall also organize mass meetings each semester and develop an informational presentation to be delivered for prospective members of the Government.
- B) The *Subc*ommittee shall promote the appointments process and recruitment for the Government through the distribution of mass e-mails, flyers, quarter-sheets and other appropriate materials.
- C) The *Subc*ommittee shall oversee the appointments process outlined in the following sections.
- D) The Chair and Vice-Chair shall be responsible for encouraging willing new members to seek out mentors who are experienced members of the Government, and if possible, for pairing willing experienced members of the Government to mentor willing new members.
- E) The *Subc*ommittee may advise and aid committees, subcommittees, and task forces in finding additional members.