

RULE ONE: THE SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1.01 Senate Executive Committee

- A. Members: The Senate Executive Committee shall be comprised of the Senate President Pro Tempore, the Deputy Pro Tempores, the standing and ad hoc Committee Chairs, the Vice Chairs, and the Speaker of the Senate, as an ex-officio member.
 - 1. All standing committee and ad hoc committee Chairs shall have voting and debating powers.
 - 2. The Senate President Pro Tempore shall have all voting and debating privileges.
 - 3. Vice Chairs shall have all debating Privileges and, in the absence of the Chair, then the Vice Chairs shall have privileges of voting.
 - 4. The Deputy Pro Tempores shall have all debating privileges.
- B. The Speaker of the Senate shall be the Chair, the Senate President Pro Tempore shall be the Vice Chair.
- C. The Senate Executive Committee shall meet, as called by the Speaker of the Senate, the Senate President Pro Tempore or by majority vote of the Committee.

1.02 The purpose of the Senate Executive Committee is:

- A. To represent the Student Senate in “times of crisis” and to present and argue the views of the Senate, as expressed by Senate resolutions.
- B. To facilitate communication between the officers of the Student Senate.
- C. To serve as an appellate avenue for Senate business, as provided for in the Senate Rules and Procedures.
- D. To expunge Senate meeting absences of Senate members, upon petition of the Senator in question, by majority vote of the Senate Executive Committee.

HISTORY:

Res 13-03 (02/03/81) Bill 16-05 (10/25/83) Res 17-21 (02/19/85)
Res 19-11 (01/08/87) Res 26-14 (03/31/94) Res 26-12 (03/31/94)
Res 33-01 (01/25/01) Res 34-22 (11/15/01) Res 36-10 (01/29/04)
Res 38-03 (11/18/05) Res 38-07 (02/02/06) Res 40-30 (09/11/08)
Res 41-18 (02/19/09)