MUNSU Elections Committee Recommended Change to MUNSU Bylaws

Proposed:

a) Recommend to strike MUNSU Bylaw 4(c)(3).
b) Be it further resolved that MUNSU Bylaw 4(c)(3) is inoperable

Existing Bylaw:

3. In the event of a faculty/school representative or constituency representative vacancy, and upon submission of the number of nomination signatures normally required for the position, an interim representative with full voting rights may be appointed until the next election, at which point the seat shall be advertised as open and nominations will be accepted from members of that ward.

Interim representatives may be nominated by the respective group or collection of groups, where duly recognized by the Students’ Union, listed below:

- Faculty/School wards:
  i. Humanities and Social Sciences Students’ Representative: the collective academic societies of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences;
  ii. Business Students’ Representatives: the collective academic societies of the Faculty of Business;
  iii. Centre for Nursing Studies Students’ Representative: the CNS Society;
  iv. Education Students’ Representative: the collective academic societies of the Faculty of Education;
  v. Engineering Students’ Representatives: one representative per Engineering term society, to a total of two;
  vi. Human Kinetics and Recreation Students’ Representative: the HKR students’ society;
  vii. Medicine Students’ Representative: the Medical students’ society;
  viii. Nursing Students’ Representative: the Nursing students’ society;
  ix. Pharmacy Students’ Representative: the Pharmacy students’ society;
  x. Science Students’ Representatives: the collective academic societies of the Faculty of Science;
  xi. Social Work Students’ Representative: the Social Work student society;
  xii. Music Students’ Representative: the Music students’ society.

- Constituency wards:
  i. Indigenous Students’ Representative: the Indigenous Students’ Resource Centre;
  ii. International Students’ Representative: the International Students’ Resource Centre;
  iii. Queer Students’ Representative and Trans Students’ Representative: MUN Sexual And Gender Advocacy (S.A.G.A.) Resource Centre;
  iv. Students with Disabilities Representative: the MUN Disability Information and Support Centre;
  v. Women Students’ Representative: Intersections Resource Centre;
  vi. Student Parents’ Representative: the Student Parents’ Resource Centre;
  vii. Paton College Residence Representative: the Residence Societies of Paton College;
viii. Burton’s Pond Apartments Representative: the Residence Societies of Burton’s Pond;
ix. MacPherson College Representative: the Residence Societies of MacPherson College;
x. Sustainability Representative and Students of Colour Representative: the Campaigns and Action Committee;
xi. First-year Students’ Representative and Undeclared Students’ Representative: the Advocacy/Academic Affairs Committee.