

## Standing Committees Regulations

### **Citation**

1. This Regulation may be cited as the Standing Committees Regulations.

### **Interpretation**

2. In this Regulation, unless it is otherwise provided or the context otherwise requires, all words shall have the meanings given in the Constitution of the National University of Singapore Students' Union.

### **Amendment**

3. A Motion seeking to amend or remove any provision of this Regulation shall not be passed unless it has been supported by the votes of:
  - (1) Not less than half of the total number of Voting Council Representatives present during a Council Meeting, or
  - (2) Not less than half of the total number of Union Members present during a General Meeting of the Union.
4. For the purposes of section 3, amendment of provisions includes addition, amendment or repealing of provisions.

### **Legislative History**

- 4A. This Regulation was first enacted on 4 August 2012 and amended on 5 February 2014 and 18 June 2016.

### **Standing Committees**

5. There shall be the following Standing Committees:
  - (1) The Finance Committee
  - (2) The Publication Committee
  - (3) The Committee for Student Welfare

### **The Finance Committee**

6. The Finance Committee shall consist of the following:
  - (1) The Financial Secretary who shall be the ex-officio Chairman of the Committee;
  - (2) The President of the Union who shall be an ex-officio member;
  - (3) Three other members, who shall not be Executive Committee Members, elected from Council Representatives. The Committee shall elect a secretary from among its own members.
7. The duties of the Finance Committee shall be:
  - (1) to keep the records and documents of NUS projects that have applied for the NUSSU Council Funding
  - (2) to be the administrative body to see through the projects that have qualified for the NUSSU Council Funding
  - (3) to review and make appropriate recommendation to the Council or the Executive Committee regarding any financial matters.

### **The Publication Committee**

8. The Publication Committee shall consist of the following:
  - (1) The Communications Secretary who shall be the ex-officio Chairman of the Committee;
  - (2) Not more than two other members, who are not Executive Committee Members, elected from Council Representatives. The Committee shall elect a secretary from among its own members.
9. The duties of the Publication Committee shall be:
  - (1) to implement the Union's policies on publications of the Union;
  - (2) to co-ordinate the work of all publications emanating from the Union;
10. The Publication Policy shall be as follows:
  - (1) All publications shall reflect the aims and objectives of the Union;
  - (2) No matters of policy may be published without written directive from the Council.

### **The Committee for Student Welfare**

11. The Committee shall consist of:
  - (1) The Student Welfare Secretary who shall be the ex-officio Chairman of the Committee;
  - (2) Four members, who are not Executive Committee Members, elected from Council Representatives. The Committee shall elect from among its own members a Secretary and a Treasurer.
12. The Committee shall:
  - (1) be responsible for bringing to the notice of the Council any problem affecting the welfare of the Union's members that may arise within the University;
  - (2) recommend to the Council such course of action as may be taken for the purpose of alleviating student welfare problems within the University and implement such decisions of the Union
13. The Committee shall have powers to:
  - (1) appoint sub-committees for the purpose of assisting the committee in the execution of its duties.