

Model A

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Notable Changes:

Student Senate

- Designates all CCC students as members of the SSCCC
- Amends the purpose of the SSCCC to be:
 - System participatory governance
 - Legislative and Policy Advocacy
 - Regional Support and Development
- Eliminates Advisor from the senate

General Assembly

- Establishes Delegate Assembly as the legislative authority of the SSCCC
- Designates the General Assembly as a conference
- Establishes duties and responsibilities of Delegate Assembly
- Outside of new language, transcribes existing language from previously defined General Assembly to the new constitution

Regions

- Establishes Regions as administrative subdivisions of the SSCCC
- Establishes duties and responsibilities of Regions
- Establishes provision for regional boundary designation and amendments
- Designates all 3 regional senators as regional directors
- Converts one Governance and Policy Senator into Regional Affairs Senator
- Renames Governance and Policy Senators as System Affairs Senators
- Renames External Affairs Senators as Legislative Affairs Directors

Student Senate Council

- Establishes the Board of Directors as the Executive authority of the SSCCC and the legislative body when the Delegate Assembly is not in session
- Establishes duties and responsibilities of Board of Directors
- Renames the existing council as the Board of Directors
- Expands voting membership from 30 to 37 (three directors per region + Executive Committee)
- *The council is referred to as the Board however in Article 3 regions executive boards are also referred to as the Board.*
- *States the voting membership is established by the majority vote of each region but doesn't mention that the executive committee is appointed by a majority vote of council and not the region*

Executive Committee

- Requires that executive committee members vacate their regional seat once elected
- Establishes the Executive Vice President
- Establishes the Vice President of Regional Affairs
- Establishes duties and responsibilities of Executive Vice President

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- Renames the Vice President of Governance and Policy as the Vice President of System Affairs
- Renames the Vice President of External Affairs as the Vice President of Legislative Affairs
- Renames the Treasurer as Vice President of Finance
- Renames the Communications Officer as the Vice President of Communications
- Eliminates the position of the Secretary
- Sublimates responsibilities from the Secretary to the Executive Vice President and the Vice President of Communications

Rules & Procedures

- Eliminates term limits
- Moves the elections procedure and the order of succession to Bylaws
- Prohibits governing documents to be amended to jeopardize non-profit, tax-exempt status
- Establishes dissolution process
- Moves shared governance appointments to Bylaws

Model B

Author: Errin Bass

Rubric Score: 17/17

Notable Changes:

Preamble

- Changes preamble inserting new language beginning from “in order and ending with do consent and...”

Name

- No Substantive Changes

Mission

- States that the SSCCC is devoted to educational, social, and career development for CCC students
- Additionally states that the SSCCC will enhance Individual, ethnic, and cultural orientation of students

Dissolution

- The SSCCC can be dissolved by satisfying the following steps:
 - Calling a Student Senate Council special meeting for the specific purpose of dissolution
 - Securing a $\frac{3}{4}$ majority vote in favor of dissolution
- In the event of dissolution, the remaining assets of SSCCC will be transferred to tax-exempt organizations similar to SSCCC
 - Organizations shall be chosen by Board of Directors of SSCCC
- Statement of dissolution shall be signed by all SSCCC members & sent out to each associated student organization

Purpose

- No Substantive Changes

Constituency

- All currently enrolled CCC students
- ASOs have the right to **succeed** from the organization
- Regions can stop recognizing SSCCC with a $\frac{3}{4}$ majority vote of the individual region
- If 13 or more ASOs **succeed**, SSCCC shall not allocate 2SRF until concerns are settled & above 90% of ASOs are recognized
- *Author must have intended secede rather than succeed*

General Assembly

- No Substantive Changes

Student Senate Council

- Renames the Treasurer as the Vice President of Finance
- Establishes the Vice President of Events

Advisor

- If an advisor is not selected, the SSCCC shall not allocated the \$2.00 student representation fee.

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- *Risks that the student representation fee may not be allocated for region or sccc use and potential abuse of power by advisor*
- An advisor shall be identified or removed by the SSCCC following a three-fourths vote and in accordance with the procedures provided in the Bylaws.
- *Three-fourths vote?*

Shared Governance Committees

- Removes in attendance and inserts in accordance with the bylaws under Section 2. accountability
- Establishes the Vice President of Events

Procedures

- Removes item b under Section 2. Constitution Amendments
- Establishes the Vice President of Events

Ineligibility, Impeachment, and Recall

- Expands to 3 potential absences from council meetings to be considered for removal and 1 absence to be removed from a shared governance committee

Model C

Author: Nehasi Lee

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Notable Changes:

Rationale

- Notes that the corporation cannot act without the direction of the 114+ ASOs
- Power is derived through Title V and implemented through its resolutions
- All policies must be adopted through resolutions
 - “This resolution process shall be the sole method by which policies of the SSCCC are adopted.”

Authorization

- Acknowledges the process by which the SSCCC receives its recognition as the representative body for California Community colleges
 - BOG Standing Order 333
- Mentions the Chancellor’s Office as authorized to ensure the integrity of the Student Senate

Preamble

- States that “We, the students of the California Community College System, do hereby establish the Student Senate for California Community Colleges in conjunction with local associated Student Organizations so that ~~the~~ community college students ~~of~~ in California...” *← suggests representation for any community college student who lives in California*

Name

- The name of this ~~student body~~ organization shall be the Student Senate for California Community Colleges”

Specific Purpose

- Randomly adds California Community colleges to items (a) (b) (e)

Nonprofit Purpose

- **Can** be organized exclusively for educational and charitable purposes
- “The association shall not carry on activities that jeopardize its status as an organization exempt for taxation...”

Power and Duties

- Power is derived through Title V and implemented through its resolutions

Student Senate for California Community Colleges

- Removes The SSCCC general assembly shall elect senate representatives each spring from section d.

Student Senate Council

- Section 1. Representatives
 - Renames External Advocacy to Advocacy and Legislative Affairs

- *In areas of contention* Tasks the entire council
- Section 2. Eligibility
 - In accordance with prescribed practices of the California Community College Chancellor's Office regarding such matters
- Section 3. Selection and Term
 - Includes a reference to (see exceptions in Bylaws)
- Section 8. Constitution and Bylaw Changes
 - All changes to the SSCCC Constitution and Bylaws must be approved with a ⅔ vote of the General Assembly at either the Spring or Fall general Assembly
- Section 9. Executive Officers
 - The President of the SSCCC Council shall be elected during the SSCCC Spring General Assembly... All other SSCCC council officers shall be elected by the Student Senate Council during their initial SSCCC Council meeting in July of the fiscal year
 - (d) Succession Failure:
 - Should an Officer of the SSCCC Executive Board fail to follow the Order of
 - Succession prescribed in (c) above, that Officer will vacate their position and not be eligible for any other Executive Officer position for the remainder of the Term.
 - iv. Secretary:
 - The Secretary shall be in charge of all record keeping and membership responsibilities.

Action

- Section 1. Power Clause:
 - Protection for council from having regions assert that they're representative of the entire council
 - (At the regional level, a quorum to conduct Student Senate business shall consist of a majority of at least one authorized representative from each college as designated for that region, notwithstanding those colleges who are certified as inactive in accordance with the Bylaws). ← certified by the region

Ineligibility, Impeachment, and Recall

- Section 5. Resignations:
 - (a) Any resignation from the SSCCC Council will be final and irrevocable.
 - Thereby making it impossible for an individual who resigns from the SSCCC
 - Council to return to service as a SSCCC Senator in any capacity.

Dissolution

- Section 1. Dissolution:
 - Dissolution , if necessary, shall occur in compliance with SSCCC Bylaws.

Model D

Author(s): John Fraser

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Notable Changes:

Phases of Implementation

Preamble

- Removed

Name

- No Substantive Changes

Purpose

- Representation redefined to expand on what representation entails
 - Participation in system governance
 - Building and maintaining relationships with system partners and outside organizations
 - Legislative policy and advocacy outside the California community college system
- New Sections Added
 - Regional & Local support
 - Technical Support
 - Shared Knowledge & Resources
 - Best practices for policy and advocacy models of local Associated Student Organizations (ASOs)
 - Inclusion for the sake of accountability and transparency

Members

- Delegates:
 - No longer includes the right of ASOs to have a delegate as outlined by Education Code §76060-76067
 - Outlines the process for choosing an ASO delegate in the case that the ASO doesn't have a local process for choosing a Delegate
- Regions
 - Renames 'Governance and Policy' Senator to 'System Governance' Senator
 - Outlines minimum list of officers that each region should have by stage three (later in document)
 - Director
 - Associate Director
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
 - Communications Officer

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- Gives power to the Delegates to establish conditions of the Region's recognition to the SSCCC
- Board of Directors
 - Renames the current Student Senate Council to Board of Directors
 - Outlines the transition of what the Board of Directors will be composed of
 - Second Stage is composed of Executive Officers and the Region's System Governance and External Affairs Senators
 - Third Stage is composed of the Executive Officers and the Regions' Directors.
- Addition of Joint Council
 - In the proposed Third Stage, the System Governance and External Affairs Senators will compose the Joint Council
 - They are taken out of the Board of Directors at this point
 - The Joint Council takes on the current purpose of the Student Senate Council
- Establishes that the regional boundaries outlined by the map created by the California Community College Student Affairs Association

Officers

- Executive Officers
 - Adds Executive Vice President
 - Adds Vice President of Internal Operations
 - Removes the Secretary
 - Renames the Vice President of Governance & Policy to the Vice President of System Governance
 - Renames the Treasurer to the Vice President of Finance
 - Renames the Communications Officer to the Vice President of Communications
- Board of Directors
 - Second stage will eliminate the Executive Officers
 - Third stage states that the Board of Directors will be composed of the Executive Officers that the Board of Directors elects and each Region's Director
- Joint Council
 - Composed of only the Region's Senators (Third Stage Only)
- Delegates
 - *Doesn't Clearly Define - As Written, It Appears As Though All California Community Colleges Student Shall Select a Delegate to Represent Them in the Convention*
- Terms
 - Changes Term Limits to Thirty-Six Months
 - Mandates That Executives Serve in the Capacity of Their Office Until Their Replacement is Elected
- Duties
 - No Substantive Changes

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- Succession
 - No Substantive Changes
- Removal
 - Changes the Removal Procedure to What is Outlined in Robert's Rules of Order

Meetings

- Conventions
 - No Substantive Changes
- Regular Meetings
 - No Substantive Changes
- Special Meetings
 - Allows Two-Thirds of Regions to Call a Special Meeting
 - Allows Two-Thirds of Delegates to Call a Special Meeting
- Quorum
 - No Substantive Changes
- Notice
 - No Substantive Changes
- Teleconferencing
 - Teleconferencing is Permitted & the Student Senate for California Community Colleges Shall Establish & Maintain Standing Rules for the Facilitation of Teleconferencing

Organizational Structure

- Board of Directors
 - In the Second Stage the Board of Directors is Composed of Senators & Executive Officers
 - In the Third Stage the Board of Directors is Composed of the Directors (Senators) & Executive Officers
- Joint Council (Third Stage Only)
- Provides a Lot of Commentary On the Role of the Executive Officers & Board of Directors Between the General Assemblies
 - In General, the Board of Directors & Executive Officers Can Act On Behalf of the Student Senate for California Community Colleges Between Conventions (Second & Third Stage Only)
- Recognizes the Regions as Sovereign Organizations
- Region Leaders Council Maintains the Same Fundamental Structure

Committees

- Provides for the President's Authority to Appoint Members of Committees With a Two-Thirds Vote
 - Doesn't Specify Who Takes the Two-Thirds Vote

Parliamentary Authority

- No Substantive Changes

Amendment

- No Substantive Changes