



Decision by the Judicial Review Board September 15, 2009

On September 13, 2009, this Board received a formal request for judicial interpretation of the Undergraduate Association Constitution by a member of the undergraduate student body.

Request from Sun Kim, Election Commissioner:

Determine the best way to proceed in replacing the recently vacated role of Treasurer of the 2011 class.

Decision:

Our decision is that a special election, as defined in Article 4, Section 7 of the Election Code, shall be run in order to determine the new Treasurer of the Class of 2011, a position that is currently vacated.

Our recommendation is to run the election either Friday, September 25th, Tuesday, September 29th, or on the same date as the Freshman Class Council election.

Explanation:

The constitutional references this as being the correct procedure in Article 4, Section 4.3, of the Class Council Constitution.

The Judicial Review Board notes that it does not especially like this outcome in terms of practicality. We are making it primarily because it is constitutional and at this time, we don't have an alternate solution worthy enough to amend the Constitution.

Given that, our decision stands but we also give a strong recommendation to consider alternative ideas for this concern in committee.

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