



UNIVERSITY of LIMERICK STUDENTS' UNION

Agenda

	Meeting	: ULSU Student Council		
	Date	: 7 th November		
	Venue	: J Swift B1023		
	Time	: 6pm		
	Apologies:			
	Standing orders and minutes week 8, 24 th October, 2017			3min
	Matters Arising		Speaker	Time Allocation
1.1	Election of EHS faculty rep. Postponed. Brianna and Cian interested in the role.			5
1.2	PrEP update			3
1.3	Library			5
2	Communication		Gillian	10min
3	Update from Executive. Reports		Eilish, JBCCMN	15min
4	Quality Review		Martin	5min
5	ULSU v. UL Student Life Rebranding VOTE		Exec	15min
6	SMART Consent		Roberta	10 min
7	Charity Week Nominations		Roberta	5 min
8	Irish Survey of Student Engagement		Conor	5 min
9	USI		Conor	5 min
10	ISSE survey		Conor	5
11	Amendment to Schedule 1. See appendices. VOTE		Liz	5
12	AOB			5

Appendices

Proposal to amended Constitution, Schedule 1. 26. 48. 49. See the underlined insertions.

Schedule 1. Referendum and Election Rules and Regulations

26. The completed official nomination forms shall contain, as well as the required number of proposers and seconders signatures and corresponding student ID numbers, the candidate's name as registered with the University, ID number, Course, and, in the case of directly elected members of the Executive, the name of the candidate's campaign manager. Persons standing for election to the Executive shall be required to have a campaign manager.

Exceptions to this rule will only be permitted in the case where the candidate can provide evidence showing regular university teaching communication using a name other than their registered name. The purpose of this provision is to accommodate transgender students run for election under the name they are commonly known as. ERB will conduct a check with relevant university staff to verify the validity of the request.

48. For a paper election: a voting paper will be issued to each voter, which shall bear the union stamp and votes will be cast in sealed ballot boxes. In the case of elections ballot papers shall bear the name of each candidate, as accepted by ERB, and the office being contested. There will be a facility for reopening nominations in the case of sabbatical officer elections.

49. For an electronic election: an electronic ballot (or e-ballot) will be issued to each voter. The election site shall be considered verification by the Union of the ballot paper in the absence of the Union stamp. Votes will be cast by the voter and electronically added to the count. In the case of elections, the e-ballot should, bear the name of each candidate, as accepted by ERB, and the office being contested. In the case of electronic elections, the candidate will be able to submit additional election material to the Democracy Development Manager or such other person nominated by the ERB and, subject to approval of the material in accordance with this Constitution, the material may be uploaded to the election website by the Democracy Development Manager or such other person nominated by the ERB. There will be a facility for reopening nominations in the case of sabbatical officer elections

N.B. Election candidates will be made aware that they will have to sign their nomination form using their legally recognized name and if elected they will be required to give their

official legally recognized name when signing official and statutory documents on behalf of students and the Students' Union.