

Title VIII

Student Government Appointments

Article I. Responsibility of Appointees

Section 101. Definition of Appointees

The responsibilities contained herein shall apply to any student appointed by the Student Congress, or any member of the Student Congress, and the Student Body President to any committee established in The Code, with the exception of those outlined in Section 272 of this Article.

Section 102. Exemptions

This shall specifically not apply to members of the Honor Court, Committee on Student Conduct and other Judicial Bodies; nor shall it apply to members of internal Student Congress or Executive Branch committees (unless so ordered by the Speaker or Student Body President, respectively).

Section 103. Definition of Appointer

For the purposes of this Article, the appointer shall be defined as the office that named the appointee, with the exception of the appointees of the Office of the Student Body President, when the appointer shall refer to the Office of the Student Body Vice President for the purposes of this Article only.

Section 104. Administrative Responsibilities of Appointees

- A. Personal Information.** An appointee shall ensure that the appointer has an up-to-date record of information necessary to contact the appointee and information relevant to the appointee's status as a student, including his or her address, telephone number and current and anticipated student status (including college of enrollment, terms of enrollment and expected date of graduation) for the period of service as an appointee.
- B. Information on Committee Activities.** An appointee shall ensure that appointer is provided with as much information as possible on the activities of the committee on which he or she serves. An appointee shall arrange to have a copy of agendas, minutes, written reports and other materials submitted to or generated by the committee to the appointer on a routine basis. If this is not formally possible, it is the responsibility of the appointee to personally provide to the appointer copies of all materials provided to committee members. If there is more than one appointee serving on the committee, the appointer, where applicable, may designate one member as the liaison with Student Government.
- C. Written Reports from Appointees.** Each appointee shall submit to the appointer written reports of the activities of their committees on a schedule to be determined by the appointer. Each appointee shall also submit a written report of the work on their respective committee to Student Congress at the last full meeting of each academic semester and the report shall be no longer than one written page. The appointees shall also submit matters under the purview of their committee whenever requested to do so by the appointer.
- D. Attendance Reports.** Appointees shall have the attendance of members recorded in the official minutes of their committees. Appointees are expected to regularly attend the meetings of the committee to which they were appointed. If this is not possible, the member should resign. In any case, any appointee who fails to attend two meetings, or find an appropriate substitute by working with the appointer, is no longer a member of that committee.

Section 105. Responsibilities of the Appointer

It shall be the duty of the appointer to ensure the appointee is aware of his or her potential responsibilities as enumerated in Title VIII.

Section 106. Failure to Discharge Responsibilities

If an appointee cannot or will not discharge his or her responsibilities as defined in this article and elsewhere, and for mis-, mal-, or nonfeasance, he or she shall be removed by the appointer. The appointer shall notify in writing the appointee of his or her removal. The appointer shall also notify the Student Congress of his or her removal.

Article II. The Appointment and Approval Process

Section 201. General Provisions

The Student Body President will elicit and make appointments to the following positions and boards listed in this Title and in accordance with the necessary approval of the Student Congress committees and the full Student Congress. Pursuant to Title I, Article I, Section 4, Subsection I of The Code, the Student Congress may approve or reject all appointments made by the President, excepting such minor positions as may be exempted by the Congress by majority vote. All nominations listed in this Article shall be completed and forwarded to the appropriate officials by the fifteenth (15th) of September each year.

Section 202. The Role of the Student Congress

Student Congress has the power to approve or reject all appointments made by the President except positions exempted by majority vote. Each year by the end of the spring semester the President shall submit to the Rules and Judiciary Committee in the form of a resolution a list of appointments they wish to have exempted from formal congressional approval. The President shall submit to the Student Congress in the form of a report, a list of persons appointed to the positions exempted from formal congressional approval along with up-to-date contact information no later than the fifteenth (15th) day of September. This section shall in no way infringe upon the power of Congress to require any appointee to appear before the Congress or a congressional committee nor the power of Congress to impeach and remove.

Section 203. Appointments to Appear Before Committees

All persons being considered by the Congress for appointment must be present and introduced before the appropriate Congress committee and reported in order to be considered in Full Congress.

- A. In the event that a nominee cannot appear before committee due to extenuating circumstances, the nominee may submit a letter to the Committee explaining the reason for his/her absence.
- B. If the Committee determines, by majority vote, that the reason for absence given in the nominee's letter constitutes a sufficient extenuating circumstance for his/her absence, the nominee shall not be required to appear in person before Committee at a later date. The nominee may only be reported unfavorably or without prejudice and resolutions for nominees who do not appear before committee may not be placed on the consent calendar.
- C. Appearance before Committee does not preclude the right of any member of the Committee to request the nominee(s) to appear before Full Congress. Upon such request, the Committee Chair must inform the sponsor of the legislation in writing at least two (2) days before the next Full Congress Meeting. The nominee(s) must then appear before the Full Congress. The normal procedure shall be for committee chairs to post appointment reports on the Congress Website and/or the Congress list-serv providing a short introduction of the appointee and responses to queries from the committee. No appointee shall be approved by the Full Congress unless a report on the appointee has been posted at least four (4) days prior to the next Full Congress Meeting or the appointee appears in person before the committee.
- D. In the event that a nominee cannot appear before Congress due to extenuating circumstances, the nominee may submit a letter to the Congress explaining the reason for his/her absence.

- E. If the Full Congress determines, by majority vote, that the reason for absence given in the nominee's letter does constitute sufficient extenuating circumstances for his/her absence, the nominee shall not be required to appear in person before Full Congress and the resolution of appointment shall be approved in the appointees absence.
- F. No appointee shall be approved by the Full Congress without appearing before either a congressional committee or the Full Congress.
- G. Nominees for the positions of Student Attorney General, Student Solicitor General, Student Supreme Court Chief Justice, Student Supreme Court Associate Justice, Chair of the Undergraduate Honor Court, and Chair of the Election Board must without exception appear before the Full Congress in addition to Committee.

Section 204. Provisional Appointments

The Student Body President and the Speaker of Student Congress may appoint individuals on a provisional basis to the various boards and committees provided for in this title.

- A. Provisional appointments made by the Student Body President and the Speaker shall expire thirty (30) days from the date the appointment was made.
- B. No individual shall be appointed provisionally more than once to the same position.
- C. The Student Body President and the Speaker must inform all provisional appointees that their appointment is on a provisional basis and their continued service is subject to the approval of Congress.
- D. The Student Body President shall notify the Speaker of Congress of all provisional appointments, including the appointee's name, position to which they have been appointed, and the date of the appointment within two (2) days of the provisional appointment
- E. During the period of provisional appointment, the Congress may approve or reject the appointment. Should the Congress reject the appointment, the provisional appointment shall expire immediately. Should the Congress approve the appointment, the provisional period shall end and the appointee shall begin regular service on the board or committee.
- F. The following positions may not, under any circumstances, be appointed provisionally by the Student Body President: Undergraduate Student Attorney General, Student Solicitor General, Student Supreme Court Chief Justice, Student Supreme Court Associate Justice, and Chair of the Election Board.

Article III. Appointments of the Executive Branch

Section 301. Executive Assistants

- A. Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and a majority of members present and voting at a full Student Congress meeting, the Student Body President shall have the power to appoint Administrative Assistants. That decision shall be made by the Student Body President, Student Body Treasurer and Student Body Secretary.
- B. Administrative Assistants will not be paid for services.
- C. The Administrative Assistants shall serve all of Student Government, but shall be directly responsible to the Student Body Secretary.
- D. The Student Body Secretary shall develop a recruitment and selection process that reflects standards of openness and non-discrimination.
- E. The Student Body Secretary shall have the authority to terminate the service of the Administrative Assistants.

Section 302. Student Parking Committee

- A. The Student Body President shall appoint seven students to serve on the Student Parking Committee, one of whom shall be designated by the Student Body President as Chair and Student Parking Officer. The committee shall be appointed no later than the end of the Fall semester to serve from January 1 through December 31. These appointments shall be subject to Congressional approval. An effort shall be made to represent a diversity of parking interests on the Committee. The Student Body President shall endeavor to make appointments to this committee and have those appointments approved by the Student Congress by the end of the Fall Semester during which the President took the oath of office.
- B. This Committee shall allocate student parking permits pursuant to Part 4 of this Title.

Section 303. Student Undergraduate Teaching and Staff Awards Committee

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and full Student Congress, the Student Body President shall appoint two students to serve as co-chairs of the Student Undergraduate Teaching and Staff Awards Committee. These co-chairs shall conduct the Undergraduate Teaching Awards each spring and serve as administrators of the Student Undergraduate Teaching and Staff Awards Fee. These co-chairs shall appoint the number of students that they deem appropriate to serve as members of the Student Undergraduate Teaching and Staff Awards Committee to assist with the publicity, solicitation, selection and distribution of the awards.

Section 304. Bodies Subsidiary to the President

Pursuant to Title I, Article III, Section 3.I, the President has the power to establish bodies subsidiary to him or her as he or she shall deem necessary and proper to aid the President in the performance of his or her duty. These positions and bodies shall serve at the pleasure of the President. The President shall inform the Congress, in the form of a written report, of the membership and purpose of such bodies including contact information for the membership of all such boards. Furthermore, the individuals in these positions and bodies shall be considered Student Government Officials.

Section 305. Student Attorney General and Student Solicitor General

- A. Subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and two thirds (2/3) approval of the full Student Congress, the President will appoint in the Spring semester and by the first full week in February a Student Attorney General whose responsibilities and qualifications are set forth in Title I, Article II, Section 4 of this Student Code. The Student Attorney General shall assume office upon inauguration. The Student Body Secretary will make written applications available two weeks prior to the application date. Upon receiving applications, the Student Body Secretary will convene a selection committee comprised of : The Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, the outgoing Student Attorney General, the outgoing Chair of the Honor Court, the Dean of Students, The Speaker of Student Congress, the Rules And Judiciary Chair of Student Congress, and a member of the Committee on Student Conduct. The selection committee will review the written applications and attend interviews of the applicants. Following the interview process, the selection committee will advise the Student Body President in his or her decision.
- B. In consultation with the new Student Attorney General, the new Speaker of Congress, and the new GPSF President, the new Student Body President shall appoint a Student Solicitor General, subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and two-thirds (2/3) approval of the full Student Congress before the end of the Spring semester. The Student Solicitor General will serve as an Executive appointment to the Judicial Branch to review and investigate cases for consideration before the Student Supreme Court and any possible violations of the Student Code. Further, the Solicitor General is responsible for issuing advisory opinions in a timely fashion upon request of any member

of the student body. The Student Solicitor General will be an independent arbiter in these inquiries and cases in order to represent the interests of the student body.

- C. The term of office shall commence with the confirmation of Student Congress to occur before the end of the spring semester and shall end the following spring with the confirmation of a new Student Solicitor General. In the event that the office becomes vacant, the Student Body President shall appoint a new Student Solicitor General with the advice of the current Student Attorney General to fill the remainder of the term of office.

Section 306. Undergraduate Honor Court

Subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and two-thirds (2/3) approval of the full Student Congress, the President will appoint prior to the end of the spring semester the student members of the Undergraduate Court made from a list of persons recommended by a committee composed of the outgoing and incoming Chair and Vice Chairs of the Undergraduate Court.

Section 307. Student Supreme Court

Subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and two-thirds (2/3) approval of the full Student Congress, and to the time constraints outlined by Title III, Part 1, Section 205, the President will appoint students to the following positions on the Student Supreme Court:

- A. **Chief Justice:** The President will appoint a Chief Justice in accordance with Title III, Part 1, Article II of The Code.
- B. **Associate Justices:** The President will appoint four (4) Associate Justices in accordance with Title III, Part 1, Article II of The Code

Section 308. Election Board Chairperson

Subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and with the two-thirds (2/3) approval of the full Student Congress, the President will appoint an Elections Board Chairperson after the President's inauguration and prior to the end of the spring semester in accordance with Title VI, Section 112(A). The Elections Board Chair shall be responsible for maintaining the duties of said position and overseeing the Elections Board as outlined in Title I and Title VI of The Code.

Section 309. Student Advisory Committee to the Chancellor

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Student Body President shall appoint no more than twelve students to the Student Advisory Committee to the Chancellor as outlined in the by-laws of the committee. The by-laws of the committee shall be recommended by the outgoing committee and approved by the outgoing Student Congress on a yearly basis, no later than the last meeting of the outgoing Student Congress. The Student Body Vice President shall chair the committee and the Student Body President shall attend all meetings of the committee *ex officio*. The purpose of the Student Advisory Committee to the Chancellor is to provide a means for a wide range of student constituencies to speak directly with the Chancellor, the Executive Vice Chancellor, the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, and the Provost in order to peacefully and professionally advance the interests of the students and the university. All terms shall be for one year.

Section 310. Student Academic Advising Board

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Student Body President shall appoint no more than eight students, two from each class, to the Student Academic Advising Board. The by-laws of the committee shall be recommended by the outgoing committee and approved by the outgoing Student Congress as needed. The purpose of the Student Academic Advising Board is to

maintain open lines of communication between the students and the senior administration by providing student feedback to the Advising Department, soliciting student input on University issues and enabling students to openly discuss their concerns with Deans.

Section 311. Union Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress and in accordance with Title I, Article IV, Section 1 of The Code, the Student Body President shall appoint one (1) student to a two-year term on the Union Board of Directors, except in such case as the appointment of the preceding Student Body President is vacant, in which case the Student Body President shall appoint two (2) students to the Carolina Union Board of Directors, one to serve one year and one to serve two years.

Section 312. Student Legal Services Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the President will appoint one student member by the end of the Spring Semester to the Student Legal Services Board of Directors to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in Title I, Article IV, Section 6 of The Code.

Section 313. WXYC Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Student Body President will appoint two (2) student members by April 15 to the WXYC Board of Directors to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in Article II of the By-Laws of Student Educational Broadcasting, INC. The Board oversees the finances and actions of the student radio station, WXYC.

Section 314. Committee on Community and Pluralism

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the President will appoint two (2) students to serve one year terms on this faculty committee charged with fostering community and promoting pluralism in the University, encouraging the social interaction of mutual acceptance and respect among various groups on campus.

Section 315. Committee on Student Conduct

Subject to the approval of the Rules and Judiciary Committee and two-thirds (2/3) approval of the Student Congress, the President will appoint six (6) students to serve one year terms on this Chancellor's committee charged with overall responsibility for the student judicial system; receiving, proposing and studying changes and amendments to the Instrument of Student Judicial Governance. Should the President not appoint the Student Attorney General, Undergraduate Court Chair and/or Chairperson of the Graduate and Professional Student Federation Judicial Committee as one of his/her appointments, these individuals will automatically become non-voting *ex officio* committee members.

Section 316. Friends of the Library Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Student Body President will make two appointments to the Friends of the Library Board of Directors for a one-year term.

Section 317. Student Safety and Security Committee

The Student Body President or designee will serve as the Chair to this committee. The Student Body President will select no more than nine (9) members of the student body to serve on the committee including the Student Body Treasurer, who shall serve as an ex-officio non-voting member, and the two appointments of the Speaker of Student Congress as specified in Title VIII, Section 405. All appointees to this committee

must be reported by the Student Affairs Committee and approved by Full Congress. This committee will oversee the allocation of the Safety and Security Fee.

Section 318. Freshman Focus Council

Subject to the approval of Student Congress, the President shall appoint two co-coordinators of the Freshman Focus Council, as prescribed by the Student Code (Title IV, Part 2, Article I, Section 201.H.). Following the appointment of the co-coordinators, and in accordance with the by-laws of the Freshman Focus Council, a selections committee shall submit a list of qualified prospective candidates to the President who shall then nominate individuals to serve as council members. These nominees are also subject to the approval of Student Congress. Appointees shall fulfill their responsibilities as prescribed in the by-laws of the Freshman Focus Council.

Section 319. The Association of Student Governments

The Student Body President shall serve as a voting member on the UNC Association of Student Governments Council of Student Body Presidents. Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and approval of the Student Congress, and in consultation with the Speaker of Student Congress and the Graduate and Professional Student Federation President, the Student Body President shall appoint four Students to serve as delegates on the General Assembly of the UNC Association of Student Governments. At least one of them must be a graduate or professional student.

Section 320. Campus Recreation Board

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the President shall appoint one (1) student to this committee for a one-year term. The student is to serve as a full participant in the committee and has voting privileges. This committee shall fall in compliance with Title I, Article IV, Section 7 of The Code.

Section 321. Student Television Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the President shall appoint one (1) student to serve a one-year term on this board.

Section 322. UNC One Card Committee

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and full Student Congress, the President shall appoint three (3) students to serve a one-year term on this committee. The primary responsibility of this committee is to explore potential uses of the UNC One Card, to assist and advise in developing card-related policy at a general level, and to serve as a forum in which users or potential users might offer suggestions or bring concerns.

Section 323. Yackety Yack Board of Directors

Subject to approval by the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the President shall appoint one (1) student to serve a one-year term on this board.

Section 324. Student Library Advisory Board

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Full Student congress the Student Body President shall appoint five undergraduates as members of this board. All appointments last for a term of one year. The functions of the Student Library Advisory Board include: (1) to provide a mechanism for student suggestions to the library administration, (2) to involve students in the formulation of new library programs and facilities, (3) to incorporate student input in administrative decisions, and (4) to solicit

student opinion regarding library programs and services. This body will meet on a monthly basis during the academic year.

Section 325. Textbook Pricing Committee

The President shall appoint two (2) students to serve on this committee who shall be approved by the Student Affairs Committee and the Full Congress.

- A. Buildings and Grounds.** The President will nominate two (2) undergraduate students to serve one year terms on this committee charged with advising the Chancellor on matters involving the development, improvement, and/or replacement of new and existing physical facilities on campus.
- B. Calendar Committee.** The President will nominate two (2) undergraduate students to serve one year terms on this committee charged with studying the current academic calendar and making recommendations for any alterations.
- D. Scholarships, Awards and Student Aid.** The President will nominate three (3) undergraduate students to serve one year terms on this committee charged with setting policy in these areas, and often through subcommittees on scholarships, loans, student employment, tenure, and athletic grants-in-aid.
- E. Traffic and Parking Appeals Committee.** The President will nominate two (2) undergraduate students to serve one year terms on this committee charged with hearing appeals from decisions made by the Director of Security Services (or his/her designate).
- F. Student Awards.** The President will nominate three (3) undergraduate students to serve one year terms on this committee charged with overseeing the Chancellor's Student Awards Ceremony held annually.

Section 326. Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance Committees

The Student Body President will solicit applications and make nominations to the Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance for student members to the advisory committees listed below. Nominations are to be forwarded to the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs for coordination and submission to the Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance.

- A. Energy Conservation Committee.** The President will nominate one undergraduate student to serve a two (2) year term on this committee charged with assisting in the development, coordination, and implementation of energy conservation programs for the University campus.
- B. Student Stores Advisory Committee.** The President will nominate six (6) undergraduate students to serve one year terms to this committee charged with providing advice to the Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance and Student Stores management on policies and procedures established by Student Stores management.
- C. Traffic and Parking Advisory Committee.** The President will nominate four (4) undergraduate students to serve one year terms to this committee charged with advising the Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance and the Director of Security Services on the policies and procedures established by Security Services relative to traffic and parking.

Section 327. Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs Committees

The Student Body President will solicit applications and make nominations to the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs for student members to the committees listed below. Nominations are to be forwarded to the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs.

- A. Housing Advisory Board. The President will nominate five (5) students including the President of the Residence Hall Association to serve one year terms on this board charged with reviewing existing housing programs and policies; identifying and making recommendations for solving housing concerns, and serving as a communications link between housing and campus constituencies.
- B. Student Health Services Advisory Board. The President will nominate three (3) undergraduate students and two (2) graduate students in conjunction with the President of the Graduate and Professional Student Federation to serve on year terms on this board charged with reviewing existing health programs and policies; identifying and making recommendations for solving Health Service concerns, serving as a communication link between Student Health Services and campus constituencies, and working to gain cooperation and support from campus constituencies.

Section 328. Faculty Committees

The Student Body President will solicit applications and make nominations to the Faculty Council for student members to the committees listed below. Nominations are to be forwarded to the Chair of the Faculty.

- A. Educational Policy Committee. The President will nominate one (1) undergraduate student to serve as a non-voting member of this committee. The committee is concerned with those matters of educational policy and its implementation which have significant impact upon instruction.
- B. Administrative Board of the Library. The President will nominate one (1) student to serve as the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences' appointment to the board. The board shall advise the University Librarian on the administration of the University library system.

Section 329. Subcommittee on General Education

The President will solicit applications and submit a list of at least three (3) undergraduate nominees for membership on this committee to the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. This committee is responsible for reviewing course proposals and discussing undergraduate educational issues.

Section 330. Student Fee Audit Committee

The Student Body Treasurer shall serve as Chair of this committee, pursuant to Title 1, Article IV, Section 4 (G); and Title V, Section 294.

Section 331. Student Endowed Library Fund

Pursuant to Title I, Article IV, Section 8 of The Code, the Student Body President shall nominate two (2) undergraduate students to serve on this committee, one serving for one year and the other a two year term to be staggered with the appointee of the GPSF President. This committee will develop recommendations on the allocation of the interest from the Student Endowed Library Fund. By simple majority, the committee shall elect a chair and may select non-voting *ex officio* members. The committee will need four voting members to have quorum. The chair shall serve as chief administrator of the Student Endowed Library Fund Fee.

Section 332. Student Dining Board

The Student Body President shall appoint two students to serve on the Student Dining Board. This student-led board shall advise Carolina Dining Services on campus food services issues. The chair of this Board shall be elected from its entire membership.

Section 333. Student Technology Advising Board

The Student Body President shall appoint six students to the Student Technology Advising Board. This committee will be the official student oversight body of all relevant campus stakeholders regarding the long-term planning and day-to-day operations of technological systems and spaces that affect the UNC student body. The Student Technological Advisory Board will also be responsible for providing an official recommendation on the proper usage for portions of the Technology and Education student fee that fall within its mandate.

Section 334. Newly Created Committees and Boards

The Student Body President will make nominations and appointments to newly created committees and boards of the University as requested by University officials. The Student Body President will inform the Student Congress of such requests for its review on deciding whether these appointments and/or nominations shall require Student Congress approval.

Section 335. Carolina Students Taking Academic Responsibility Through Teaching (C-START) Advisory Board

The Student Body President shall appoint two students to the C-START Advisory Board for a one year term. One of these students shall serve as chair. The student appointees should be of different graduating years. The purpose of the C-START (Carolina Students Taking Academic Responsibility through Teaching) Advisory Board is to provide advice for the administration of the C-START program in its current state and how the program might improve to better serve the UNC community. The C-START Advisory Board is also responsible for reviewing applications for C-START courses and for approving those courses for instruction.

Article IV. Legislative Branch Appointments

Section 401. Non-Legislative Branch Appointments

The Speaker of the Student Congress will elicit and make appointments to the following positions, boards, and committees as listed under this Article and in accordance with the necessary approval of the Student Congress committees and the full Student Congress. Unless otherwise stated below, the Speaker of Student Congress cannot nominate himself or herself to fill any of the following Non-Legislative Branch Board and Committee positions. In the event the Speaker wishes to fill one of said positions, the Speaker must delegate her/his or her nominating powers re: said committee to Speaker pro tempore. The Speaker pro tempore will nominate a qualified individual to fulfill the position. The Speaker pro tempore will afford the Speaker the same considerations as any other prospective candidate for nomination.

Section 402. Union Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Speaker shall appoint:

- A. Two students to two-year staggered terms on the Union Board of Directors, which will only be appointed every two years, unless the seat becomes vacant.
- B. The Speaker of the Student Congress shall also be a member of the Union Board of Directors, and do so without requiring the approval of the Student Congress. If the Speaker chooses not to serve on the Union Board of Directors, he/she can appoint one student to a one year term on the Union Board of Directors in his/her place without having to receive the approval of Student Congress.

Section 403. Student Legal Services Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Speaker will appoint one student member by April 31 to the SLS Board of Directors to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in Article II, Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Student Legal Services Board of Directors.

Section 404. WXYC Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Speaker will appoint two (2) student members by April 15 to the WXYC Board of Directors to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in Article II of the By-Laws of Student Educational Broadcasting, Inc. The Board oversees the finances and actions of the student radio station, WXYC.

Section 405. Student Safety and Security Committee

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Speaker shall appoint two (2) members to the Student Safety and Security Committee. This will be a one year appointment.

Section 406. Student Television Board of Directors

Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the full Student Congress, the Speaker shall appoint one person to the STV Board of Directors for a one year term.

Section 407. Renewable Energy Special Project Committee

- A. Purpose. The purpose of the Renewable Energy Special Projects Committee (RESPC) shall be to increase the use of renewable energy on campus through creation and funding of projects on campus and to oversee the purchase of renewable energy from power providers.
- B. Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Student Congress the Speaker shall appoint a Chair and two (2) additional members to the Renewable Energy Special Projects Committee.
- C. Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Student Congress the Student Body President shall appoint two (2) members to the Renewable Energy Special Projects Committee.
- D. Subject to the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Student Congress the Graduate and Professional Student Federation President shall appoint two (2) members to the Renewable Energy Special Projects Committee.
- E. The Vice Chancellor for Campus Services, the Director of Energy Services, and the Sustainability Coordinator or their designees and any other faculty, staff, or administration members the Chair deems appropriate shall serve as non-voting *ex-officio* members of the Renewable Energy Special Projects Committee.

Section 408. Textbook Pricing Committee

- A. The Student Congress shall annually elect from its membership a Textbook Pricing Committee Chair. The Chair, with the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Student Congress shall appoint two (2) students to serve on the committee. The Student Body President, with the approval of the Student Affairs Committee and the Full Congress shall appoint two (2) students to the committee. The Graduate and Professional Student Federation President shall appoint two (2) students to the committee.
- B. Purpose. The Textbook Pricing Committee shall work in conjunction with Student Stores, the Faculty Council, and the Administration to find ways of lowering the cost of textbooks to students at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Section 409. Delegated Appointments

Appointments of the Student Congress delegated by the Speaker to the Finance Committee Chair. The Finance Committee Chair, in consultation and with the approval of the Speaker, must make the appointments to the positions listed under this Article. The appointments must be approved by the Finance Committee and a 2/3 vote of the full Student Congress.

- A. Yackety Yack Board of Directors. Subject to the approval of the Speaker, the Finance Committee, and the full Student Congress, the Finance Committee Chair shall appoint one student member to a one year term to the Yackety Yack Board of Directors.

Section 410. Appointments of the Student Body President

All appointments, nominations, and recommendations for appointments made by the President of the Student Body or the Speaker of the Congress acting under the authority of that office shall not be effective until and unless approved by the appropriate vote of the Congress, unless otherwise provided in the Constitution of the Student Body or by law.

Article V. Maintenance of Title VIII

Section 501. Reporting to Congress

Any student government official who becomes aware of an appointed position not in the Code or of changes to the structure of a committee or board that would alter the number or type of appointees to that board shall report the position or the change to the Speaker of Student Congress within 30 days so that the position may be codified.