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**STUDENTS' REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL
UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY**

**MINUTES FOR THE SECOND MEETING OF THE REPRESENTATIVES-ELECT
OF THE 91st STUDENTS' REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL**

HELD IN: Abercrombie Business School, Case Study Lecture Theatre 1050

APOLOGIES RECEIVED:

Nicholas Forbutt (proxy to: William Edwards)
Madeline Ward (proxy to: Imogen Grant)
Gabi Stricker-Phelps (proxy to: Madeline Khun)
Crystal Xu (proxy to: Xiaorong Liu)
Guipeng Jiao (from 8.30pm) (proxy to Terrence (Junjie) Shen)
Shani Patel (proxy to: Ray Prout)
Ella Finlay (proxy to: Ellie Wilson)

The Meeting was opened at 6.26pm

1. Acknowledgement of Country

1.1. The President, Imogen Grant, spoke to the Acknowledgement of Country.

2. Election of Chairperson

2.1. The President, Imogen Grant, passed the chair to the President-Elect, Jacky He.

3. Appointment of Returning Officer

N.B. SRC Regulations Part Ten section 12 (a) provides for the Returning Officer for the meeting of Representatives-Elect to be the Electoral Officer appointed by Council to conduct that year's elections.

3.1. Karen Chau was appointed as Returning Officer

3.2. The Returning Officer called for a speaking time for election nominations to be set. Two motions were received, with the most disruptive voted on first.

Motion: that a speaking time of four minutes be set

Moved: Lily Campbell

Seconded: Imogen Grant

The motion was put and **LOST**.

Motion: that a speaking time of one minute be set

Moved: Dane Luo

Seconded: Adriana Malavisi

The motion was put and **CARRIED**.

4. Accepting the Minutes of the previous meeting

Motion to ACCEPT the Minutes of the First Meeting of the Representatives-Elect

Moved: Adriana Malavisi

Seconder: Caitlyn Chu

The motion was put and **CARRIED**.

Due to the Minutes of the Previous Meeting being accepted, Agenda items 5 through to 8 were no longer applicable to this meeting; the next substantive Agenda item was the Election of the Women's Officer.

5. Election of Vice-President

5.1. Not applicable

6. Election of General Secretary

6.1. Not applicable

7. Election of five ordinary members of the Executive

7.1. Not applicable

8. Election of the Education Officer

8.1. Not applicable

9. Election of the Women's Officer

9.1. The Returning Officer called for nominations. 8 nominations were received from:

- Jazzlyn Breen and Layla Mkhayber
- Lily Campbell
- Maddie Clark
- Gina Elias
- Sophie Haslam
- Kim Murphy
- Madeline Powell
- Gabi Stricker-Phelps and Zifan (Crystal) Xu

9.2. The candidates were invited to speak to their nominations.

At 6.50pm, eight students entered the room to protest the security measures taken to ensure the Meeting would occur. The Returning Officer and staff present halted the Meeting until these students left the room.

Motion: That the meeting move in-camera

Moved: Zac O'Farrell

Seconded: Adriana Malavisi

The motion was put and **CARRIED**.

The eight students refused to leave the room despite the motion to move in-camera.

Assistant Returning Officer Cameron Caccamo declared the Meeting unsafe, and that Councillors had the choice of formally closing this meeting to ensure that those Office Bearers and Executives elected at the First Meeting of the Representatives-Elect would be able to serve in those roles, or have no elected Office Bearers or Executives except the President potentially until February.

Part of formally closing the meeting included passing the Report of the Returning Officer.

Motion: That standing orders be suspended and the Meeting move to Agenda item 30: Report of the Returning Officer

The motion was put and **CARRIED**.

30. Report of the Returning Officer

30.1. The following people were declared provisionally elected:

- Vice President: Caitlyn Chu and Dane Luo
- General Secretary: Niamh Callinan and Yuxuan Yang
- Members of the Executive: Josie Jakovac, Vonnie Li, Adriana Malavisi, Prudence Wilkins-Wheat, and Alex Yang
- Education Officers: Yiting Feng and James Newbold

Motion to accept the Report of the Returning Officer

The motion was put and **CARRIED**.

The meeting was closed at 8.25pm.