**Motion to Appoint FMC Representative Noah Lew as AUS VP Finance**

**Whereas,** former AUS Vice-President Finance, Deepak Punjabi, resigned from his post effective March 20th at 9am;

**Whereas,** Councilor Lew was elected in the 2017 AUS Winter Executive Election as the 2017-18 AUS VP Finance;

**Whereas,** Article 12 Section 13 of the AUS Constitution states: “In the event that one of the Vice-Presidents positions is or becomes vacant, the Council or General Assembly shall elect a replacement, in accordance with the Electoral by-laws, from amongst its members or choose a member of an official committee (as stipulated in article 10.1) until a by-election, if deemed necessary, is held.”;

**Whereas**, Councilor Lew is both an AUS Councilor at this meeting, and a member of an official committee (article 10.1(c));

**Whereas,** the Electoral by-laws have no further conditions upon the appointment;

**Whereas,** there remain only six weeks left in the term, a by-election would consume much of that time, and Councilor Lew has already been elected by the AUS;

**Be it resolved**, that AUS Legislative Council appoint FMC Representative Noah Lew as AUS Vice-President Finance, with immediate effect for the duration of the 2016-17 term.

**Be it further resolved,** that the AUS Legislative Council deem a by-election for the Vice-President Finance position not necessary.

**Moved By:**

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