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Request to Publicize Appointment of Candidates

Dear Temple Student Government Senior Leadership Team,

I wanted to reach out to you all and request permission to publicize the process I am currently undertaking to approve the two candidates for vacant seats in Parliament. There are numerous reasons why I believe it is important to publicize these proceedings.

The first reason for this request is to maintain transparency during this process. Given the somewhat close reading needed to understand it all (specifically the need to read both the Constitution and the Bylaws closely) and want to ensure the general student body is aware of the Constitutionality of this process.

The second reason is to remind students how we are continually working to better their experience as students, even over the summer. We have all been very busy this summer and this opportunity gives us a chance to make that work public. I believe it will help build trust between us and the student body. It will also offer good PR to TSG prior to the commencement of the school year.

The third and final reason for this process to be publicized is to help encourage others apply for remaining seats. As we found during the elections publication of TSG events creates more interest and can draw in students. I believe making this event public could create the buzz needed to fill other seats.

As far as the method of publicly announcing this process I believe a social media statement via Twitter would be effective, however given some of my contacts we could potentially get a story out to the Temple News or the Tab.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Jacob Kurtz