WHEREAS it is the responsibility and duty of the Senate Pro Tempore to represent the voice of the Senate before Executive Council.

WHEREAS there may come a time when the Senate Pro Tempore refuses to represent the Senate at Executive Council and/or is negligent in his/her duties as Senate Pro Tempore.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED that should a majority of 2/3 or greater of the Academic Senate vote to remove the Senate Pro Tempore he/she shall be removed from said office.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that upon removal from the position of Senate Pro Tempore the ex-Senate Pro Tempore shall continue his/her duties as a member of the Academic Senate.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the Academic Senate refer to ASB 06-06 on the replacement of the Senate Pro Tempore.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the ex-Senate Pro Tempore continue receiving the compensation of Senate Pro Tempore until the following check cycle at which time he/she begin receiving the compensation of his/her office as contained within the ASUSU general laws.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this general law be referenced in the charter of the Senate Pro Tempore.
BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that once this general law has been passed by the Academic Senate that it require a majority vote of 2/3 or greater to amend, append or annul said general law.

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Policy Paper Pro Temp Impeachment

**History:** This is the first Academic Session since the reorganization of ASUSUSG. It is also the first year that a Pro Temp position has ever existed. According to the constitution if 15% of one’s constituency signs a petition of impeachment the officer will be removed from office. The constituency of the Senate Pro Temp is the Academic Senate. Currently 15% of the Pro Temp’s constituency can be reached by 2 Senators. We felt that the power to impeach should require more than 15% of the Academic Senate. We felt that if 2/3 of the Senate felt that the current Pro Temp should be removed than he/she should be removed.

**Positive:** Solidifies the position of Senate Pro Temp and protects it against a small minority.

**Negative:** No specifics reasons are given as to why the Senate Pro Temp can be impeached. We felt that if 2/3 of the Senate felt the Pro Temp was not functioning according the his/her charter than they should be able to remove him/her from office at their discretion.