

SR5 Statutory Resolution on Immediate Implementation of the Amendment to Dismissal/Expulsion Procedures

Proposer: Executive Committee
Agenda item: 10. Statutory Documents

Motion text

1 Noting that

- 2 • The Internal Rules of Procedure currently state that, depending on the
3 seriousness of the allegations, the Executive Committee, upon request of
4 the Awareness Group, may suspend someone from taking part in any FYEG
5 structure or activity during the duration of the process;
- 6 • This wording may create unnecessary procedural limitations by tying
7 Executive Committee action to a specific formal request;

8 Recognising that

- 9 • Safeguarding procedures must remain effective, flexible, and responsive in
10 situations requiring urgent protective measures;
- 11 • The Executive Committee should retain the ability to act promptly in
12 serious cases without avoidable procedural barriers;
- 13 • Maintaining survivor confidentiality and protection remains paramount
14 regardless of procedural adjustments;

15 Believing that

- 16 • Removing the phrase “upon request of the Awareness Group” strengthens
17 procedural clarity and practical functionality;

- 18 • This change preserves the role of the Awareness Group while ensuring that
19 protective measures are not hindered by unnecessary formal requirements;
- 20 • A clearer and more flexible safeguarding framework better reflects FYEG's
21 commitment to safer spaces and organisational accountability;

22 **The Executive Committee requests, with the approval of the General Assembly,**
23 **that**

- 24 • The relevant section of the Internal Rules of Procedure regarding
25 dismissal/expulsion be amended by removing the phrase:
26 – “upon request of the Awareness Group”
- 27 • So that the provision shall read:
28 – “Depending on the seriousness of the allegations, the EC may suspend
29 someone from taking part in any FYEG structure or activity during the
30 duration of the process. Confidentiality of the survivor will be
31 maintained.”
- 32 • **And that**
33 **This amendment shall enter into force immediately upon adoption;**
- 34 • **And consequently that**
35 **The relevant sections of the Internal Rules of Procedure be updated**
36 **accordingly to ensure consistency across governing documents.**
- 37 • **Note:**
38 **As the Statutes and IRPs are being amended, this resolution shall, where**
39 **necessary, be interpreted in line with any adopted changes to ensure**
40 **coherence throughout FYEG's governance framework.**

Reason

This statutory resolution is an essential part of FYEG's broader reform of its safe space and internal accountability structures. As the federation works to strengthen the democratic legitimacy, transparency, and inclusivity of the Awareness Team, granting the General Assembly immediate authority to approve the

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volunteer member ensures that these reforms can be applied without delay. Immediate implementation is particularly important in the context of ongoing safe space policy reforms.