

Item for Agreement of Class Rep Council

ITEM NO. 2325-16 USI REFERENDUM STANCE

Proposed byDCUSU Executive

Voting Outline and Regulations

The renewal of the affiliation of DCU Students' Union (DCUSU) with the Union of Students in Ireland (USI) is to be decided in an upcoming referendum this semester, which the Executive wishes to consult Class Rep Council on.

This vote will determine this council's position on which type of campaign the DCUSU Executive should run in the upcoming affiliation referendum on membership to the USI. This will be the official stance of the Students' Union as a whole during the referendum campaign.

In this vote, the options being that the DCUSU:

- To remain affiliated with USI, and that the DCUSU Executive run a 'Yes' campaign in the upcoming referendum.
- To disaffiliate from USI, and that the DCUSU Executive run a 'No' campaign in the upcoming referendum.
- To remain neutral, and that the DCUSU Executive run an information campaign only.

This vote will be ranked choice voting operating under the rules of the Single Transferable Vote method for voting.

The vote results will be published in the meeting minutes subject to approval by Class Rep Council.