

ASCSU Supreme Court Case No. 5303  
Opinion of the Court

**SUPREME COURT FOR THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF COLORADO STATE  
UNIVERSITY  
February 20 2023**

CLARIFICATION ON THE ALLOWANCE OF CABINET MEMBERS ON THE ELECTIONS  
COMMITTEE

CHIEF JUSTICE ALAYNA TRUXAL delivered the opinion of the Court

A FORMER SENATOR FOR THE STUDENT DISABILITY CENTER (SDC), AND  
CURRENT STUDENT, ALEXANDER WILSON, requested an opinion regarding the allowance of  
cabinet members on the elections committee.

The following question was submitted for clarification;

1. Is it constitutional to allow current cabinet members on the elections committee

The Supreme Court has determined the following;

1. In a 7-0-0 vote, the Court has determined that membership on the Elections Committee is solely up to the discretion of the Elections Manager. The Court looked to Section 804 (C) of the Constitution, which states “The Elections Manager shall select these impartial and unbiased members of ASCSU to serve on the Elections Committee...” The Elections Manager is the only official responsible for determining membership and installing members of the Elections Committee.