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December 9, 2019

**Senator Resigns, Vacancy Filled**

**Morgantown, WV** - On Friday, December 6, 2019, Senator Arpan Kumar announced his suggested resignation from the Student Assembly due to improper conduct.

As per the Student Government Association Constitution § 10.1, any elected position which becomes vacant shall be filled by:

1. The candidate receiving the next highest number of votes, or
2. In the instance that there are no candidates, the vacancy shall be filled by Presidential Appointment from individuals selected by the SGA Select Committee on Legislative Vacancies and Appointments.

For this instance, the candidate who received the next highest number of votes is Hali Stuck. Ms. Stuck has accepted the position and her term is effective immediately.

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