



University of Toronto Mississauga
Students' Union

LOCAL 109 OF THE CANADIAN FEDERATION OF STUDENTS

Violations(s):	Unintentional misrepresentation of facts (3)
Date Posted:	March 12, 2022
Candidate Name	Change UTM Candidates: Sam Aboul Hosn, Robin Abboud and Tamara El-Aydi
Violations Made:	March 11, 2022
Demerit Points:	Three (3) per candidate
<p>On March 11, 2022 Change UTM opened a Q+A on their Instagram story for members to submit their concerns related to campus life that they would like Change UTM to address if elected.</p> <p>In response to a member's suggestion of addressing "sexual violence on campus", Change UTM noted that "the UTMSU currently has 6 million dollars in reserves that are waiting to be used!". Screenshot attached for reference.</p> <p>The UTMSU had \$6,099,607 in cash and cash equivalents under 'Assets' as of April 29, 2020 as reported on the 'Non-consolidated Financial Statements' presented at the 2021 Annual General Meeting. The financial amount, however, includes significant reserves for allocation to the Health & Dental Insurance plan and UPass; Approximately \$4.8 million is designated for these programs. The remaining cash amount, approximately \$1.3 million, is mandated by the University of Toronto to ensure that the Union can continue to operate in the event of an emergency.</p> <p>As per the EPC, Change UTM is responsible for presenting empirical facts to support their campaign and candidacy. Considering the violation of unintentionally misrepresenting facts, each candidate a part of Change UTM slate will be levied 3 demerit points as dictated in the Election Procedure Code on page 21 under 'Campaigning' violations.</p>	
Total Demerit Points up to date 8 (per candidate)	

PLEASE NOTE:

You have 48 hours to appeal this decision from the time it was sent to you.