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1. Idea presented by proposer
2. Clarifications can be asked for by the panel
3. Feedback will be given by student reps on the idea
4. Discussion open to all students about the idea
5. Votes from the panel will decide if the idea passes, falls or goes to referenda

(Note that full time and part time officers will be at every meeting plus any other student rep who wants to be there.)
Democratic PROCEDURES COMMITTEE

this committee will make decisions about any regulation changes

12  it will have 12 members: 3 Officers and 9 cross-campus elected students.

3   they’ll meet at least 3 times per year

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WILL HOLD OFFICERS TO ACCOUNT

This will consist of 6 cross-campus elected students. They will hold all Full-Time Officers and the Environment and Social Justice Officer to account on their work.

(The panel will be assisted by an Officer from another Union and a relevant staff member from NUS)

1. The panel will rate each officer’s performance. Low ratings can initiate a vote of no confidence by referendum.
2. It’s an open meeting; any student can turn up.
3. The 6 other part time officers will be held to account via their committees.
Listening to

STUDENT GROUPS BETTER

Our Committees and Networks will be able to set their own policy autonomously from main SU policy

They can still bring Ideas to SU council if they want to

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