

EQUISPLASH

The story behind the recent news from Canadian Actors' Equity Association

What does Equity's New Bylaw Update Really Mean?

Equity Council just made a significant change to how their officers are elected. Council made this decision 11 days before nominations officially closed.

What did they change?

Council amended Bylaw 110. This stated that a Council elects their executive officers - President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, and Secretary-Treasurer - at the first meeting of the newly elected council. The **revised** Bylaw states that if the current sitting executive officers happen to be re-elected, and have served under two years, they will *automatically* keep their executive roles.

Current Equity councillors just agreed to bar their running mates from assuming leadership positions on council this year.

Executive roles on council should be elected by the new council to reflect, support and address new dynamics and new council experience. Changes to the electoral system are important, but not when an election is underway.

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