Label: 88-UWB-07

A University-Wide Bill to Amend the Impeachment Process

Introduced by: Senator Siemer

Senators Arif, Burrell, Fye, King, Netere, Samuels, Severtson, Slam, Watson, and Wright

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WHEREAS, the current SGA bylaws do not reflect the new Codification Guidelines as enacted in 88-UWB-02, and,

WHEREAS, the process for the formation of the Committee of Investigation is unclear, and,

WHEREAS, the Student Judicial Board does not maintain Student Defenders, and,

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY-WIDE SENATE OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY THAT

Section 1: This legislation shall be known as the “Amendment of the Impeachment Process Act of 2017.”

Section 2: Title V shall be amended to reflect the legislative classification change from Bill to Special Order.

Section 3: The Committee of Investigation shall be defined as the Chief Justice of the accused’s home campus, a Student Judicial Board member, and the EVP (unless the EVP is facing impeachment, in which case the President will serve on the committee), who will serve as a non-voting member.

Section 4: The phrase “either an attorney or Student Defender” shall be amended to “counsel”.

Section 5: This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage by the Student Government Association, the welfare of the students requiring it.

ACTION TAKEN BY THE UNIVERSITY-WIDE SENATE

VOTE for 24 against 0 abstentions 1

ACTION TAKEN BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT
Signature

Date 8/21/17