

Label 88-UWB-01

A University Wide Bill to Amend the Codification and Legislative Submission Process

Introduced by: Senator Siemer

Sponsor(s): Senators Arif, Burrell, Fye, King, Netere, Samuelson, Severtson, Siam, Watson, and Wright

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WHEREAS, the current SGA bylaws do not require drafts of legislation to be reviewed prior to Senate meetings, and,

WHEREAS, the codification system does not allow for documentation of senate confirmations or the formation of committees, and,

WHEREAS the codification system does not designate differences between opinions and policies within the Resolution legislative structure, and,

WHEREAS Campus Bills are not defined for Perimeter campuses,

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 Legislation Codification and Authorship Act of 2017."

Section 2: All legislations shall be referred to their respective committee for review including a new or existing ad hoc committee.

Section 3: The review process for legislation shall be defined.

Section 4: The process for bills shall be defined for Atlanta and Perimeter campuses.

Section 5: The Codification Policy shall be amended to include Special Orders for both individual campuses and University-Wide.

Section 6: The Codification Policy shall be amended to include designation for "Support" and "Policy" Resolutions.

Section 7: All new legislation shall require a simple majority to pass.

1 **Section 8:** A two-thirds majority vote shall be required to remove existing legislation or enact
2 legislation related to finance.

3 **Section 9:** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage by the Student Government
4 Association, the welfare of the students requiring it.

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6 ACTION TAKEN BY THE STUDENT SENATE:

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8 VOTE for 21 against 0 abstentions 0

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10 ACTION TAKEN BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

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12 Signature C. Suarez Date 8/21/17