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## Senate Bill SB-92S-727 Bylaw Amendment to Article III, Section 4

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# University of North Florida

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION SENATE LEGISLATION

Number SGA Bylaw Amendment 92S-727

Whereas: The Student Government Association Bylaws have not been revised since March 8, 1991, and;

Whereas: it has become increasingly important that the Bylaws be revised to meet current situations and concerns, and;

Whereas: many concerns have been raised since the last revision,

Therefore: Let the Bylaws of the University of North Florida Student Government Association be amended to read as follows:

Motion to was made to remove the Officer Quorum and President Cabinet from the Bylaw revisions.

PASSES: 11-3-1

Respectfully submitted,

Tere Craig-Garren, OBC Chair

Introduced by Organization and Bylaws Committee

SENATE ACTION 12-2-1

Date 7-31-92

Be it known that SGA Bylaw Amendment 92S-727 is hereby passed vetoed on

this 4 day of August, 1992.

Signature (Signature)

**Lavon S. Banks**

Student Body President

# SGA BYLAW REVISIONS

SUMMER 1992

RECOMMENDED BY THE ORGANIZATION & BYLAWS COMMITTEE

## ABSENTEE POLICY

1. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1A  
**CHANGE** "COMMITTEE/BOARD" TO "COMMITTEE/BOARD/COUNCIL"
2. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1B  
**ADD** "OR COMMUNITY SERVICE" TO THE END OF THE ITEM.
3. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1B  
**ADD** "AN ABSENCE WILL BE FORGIVEN IF SAID ABSENCE IS DUE TO PARTICIPATION IN AN SGA SANCTIONED ACTIVITY."
4. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1C  
**ADD** "ALL SENATORS ABSENT FROM A COMMITTEE/BOARD/COUNCIL MEETING ON WHICH HE/SHE SERVES MUST SUBMIT A WRITTEN EXCUSE TO THE RESPECTIVE CHAIR, WHO WILL THEN MAKE A RECOMMENDATION OF ABSENCE STATUS AND FORWARD THE EXCUSE TO THE SENATE PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORE. ABSENCES WILL BE UNEXCUSED AUTOMATICALLY IF THE CHAIR HAS NOT RECEIVED A WRITTEN EXCUSE BY THE END OF THE SIXTH SCHOOL DAY FOLLOWING AN ABSENCE."
5. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1D  
**DELETE** ENTIRE ITEM AND **ADD** "THE DECISION OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORE CONCERNING THE EXCUSABILITY OF AN ABSENCE IS FINAL. "
6. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1G, SENTENCE 2  
**ADD** TO "WILL BE NOTIFIED" "BY THE SENATE PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORE THROUGH THE U.S. MAIL."
7. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4D, ITEM 1G, SENTENCE 3  
**CHANGE** "AN ABSENCE" TO "HIS/HER REMOVAL". **DELETE** PHRASE IN PARENTHESES.
8. ARTICLE IV, SECTION 6 COMMITTEE ABSENTEE POLICY  
ARTICLE V, SECTION 6 BOARD ABSENTEE POLICY

ARTICLE VI, SECTION 6 COUNCIL ABSENTEE POLICY  
**CHANGE** , OR **ADD** , TO BE CONCURRENT WITH ARTICLE III, SECTION  
4, SUBSECTION 4D.

9. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4B, ITEM 2D,  
**ADD** " TO NOTIFY, IN WRITING, ALL SENATORS WHOSE  
ABSENCES EXCEED THE ALLOWED AMOUNT, AND WHO ARE  
THUS IN DANGER OF BEING REMOVED FROM THE SENATE  
ROLL. THIS NOTIFICATION SHALL BE SENT THROUGH THE  
U.S. MAIL TO THE ADDRESS ON FILE FOR THE SENATOR."
10. ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, SUBSECTION 4B, ITEM 2D  
**DELETE** " OR HAVE YET TO BE REVIEWED BY THE ORGANIZATION  
AND BYLAWS COMMITTEE."

#### OFFICER QUORUM COUNT

1. ARTICLE II, SECTION 1, SUBSECTION 1A, ITEM 4  
**CHANGE** TO " TO SERVE AS AN EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF THE STUDENT  
GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION SENATE, STANDING COMMITTEES,  
BOARDS, COUNCILS, AND AD-HOC COMMITTEES, BUT NOT COUNT  
TOWARDS QUORUM."
2. ARTICLE II, SECTION 1, SUBSECTION 1B, ITEM 5  
**CHANGE** TO "TO SERVE AS AN EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF THE STUDENT  
GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION STANDING COMMITTEES, BOARDS,  
AD-HOC COMMITTEES, BUT NOT COUNTING TOWARDS QUORUM,  
EXCEPT WHERE HE/SHE SHALL SERVA AS A MEMBER OF THE  
ORGANIZATION & BYLAWS COMMITTEE (BUT NOT AS CHAIR OR  
VICE CHAIR), AND THE PRESIDENT'S CABINET."
3. ARTICLE II, SECTION 1, SUBSECTION 1C, ITEM 8  
**CHANGE** TO "TO SERVE AS AN EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF THE STUDENT  
GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION SENATE, COMMITTEES, BOARDS,  
COUNCILS, AND AD-HOC COMMITTEES, BUT NOT COUNTING TOWARDS  
QUORUM, EXCEPT WHERE HE/SHE SHALL SERVE AS A MEMBER OF  
THE PRESIDENT'S CABINET."

#### NOMINATIONS DEADLINES

1. ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 2, SUBSECTION 2C  
**CHANGE** THE FILING DEADLINE FROM SEVEN (7) DAYS PRIOR TO  
THE ELECTION TO FOURTEEN (14) DAYS PRIOR TO THE ELECTION.

## VOTER IDENTIFICATION

1. ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 2, SUBSECTION 2E, ITEM 2  
**ADD** " ONLY THOSE QUALIFYING STUDENTS PRESENTING A VALID PICTURE IDENTIFICATION (INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO DRIVER'S LICENSES AND STUDENT I.D.'S) WILL RECEIVE A BALLOT.

## RECALL PETITION

1. ARTICLE X, SECTION 1, ITEM A2  
**CHANGE** THE NUMBER OF STUDENT SIGNATURES REQUIRED ON A PETITION FOR RECALL FROM ONE THOUSAND (1000) TO TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS WHO VOTED IN THE ELECTION IN WHICH THE OFFICER OR SENATOR WON HIS/HER SEAT.

## PRESIDENT'S CABINET POSITIONS

1. ARTICLE VII, SECTION 2, SENTENCE 1  
**ADD** " NO ONE MEMBER OF THE PRESIDENT'S CABINET SHALL HOLD MORE THAN ONE POSITION IN THE CABINET."