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SENATE LEGISLATION

SR-08S-2220

SR-08S-2220: OMISSION OF PAPER BALLOTS DURING SENATORIAL LEADERSHIP ELECTIONS

- Whereas: The Student Government of the University of North Florida was established to represent student concerns in all University wide matters, and;
- Whereas: The Student Senate is the legislative body of the University of North Florida's Student Government, given the responsibility of carrying out such legislative acts that are necessary and proper for the Student Body of the University of North Florida, and;
- Whereas: Legislation dealing with necessary and proper statutory revisions shall be considered by the Student Senate, and;
- Whereas: Our current Policies and Procedures are in need of a minor revision, and;
- Whereas: The following proposed change under V. Procedures of the Senate, letter F, section 6, will clarify that there is in fact no time in which paper ballots will be accepted as a vote.

6. After all candidates for a particular position have spoken, the Senate shall cast its votes ~~secretly via paper ballot~~ by roll call vote. ~~Ballots shall be counted by the Chief Justice or another justice and the SG Advisor in the presence and observation of the Senate President.~~
- a. A candidate must receive a majority vote in order to be elected.
- b. Should a majority not be reached, a runoff election will be held amongst the top two voted for candidates. ~~Should a tie occur, the Senate President shall cast his or her vote in private.~~

~~The Senate President shall announce the results to the Senate. Ballots shall be sealed and kept for one year following the election.~~

STUDENT SENATE ACTION

Respectfully Submitted: Jacqueline T. Simard

Introduced by: Senator Jacqueline T. Simard

Senate Action: PASS-UNANIMOUS

Date: 4/24/08

Signed, John R. Barnes

John Barnes, Student Senate President

EXECUTIVE ACTION

Let it be known that SR-08S-2220 is hereby

PASSED / VETOED / LINE-ITEM VETOED

on this 27th day of April, 2008

Signed, Rachael Tutwiler

Rachael Tutwiler, Student Body President