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SENATE LEGISLATION

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- Whereas: The Student Government of the University of North Florida was established to represent student concerns in all University wide matters, and;
- Whereas: The 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: The Student Government Constitution and Statutes has inconsistent formatting, and;
- Whereas: The current formatting of the Student Government Constitution and Statutes wastes space, and;
- Whereas: The Student Government Constitution and Statutes unnecessarily repeats information, and;
- Therefore: The following necessary and proper revision to the Student Government Constitution and Statutes is being proposed in order to ensure consistent formatting, decrease the size of the document, and eliminate repetitions.



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TITLE I: THE SYSTEM OF STATUTES

Chapter 100: Statute Compliance and Form

100.1 The following shall be the system of the Student Government Statutes observed by the Senate in enacting Statutes, and by the Attorney General in exercising statutory revision.

- A. All Student Government officers and all students serving in any capacity whatsoever within Student Government must comply with the Student Government Statutes. Willful and deliberate disregard of these Statutes shall be grounds for noncompliance, removal from office, or impeachment.
- B. The following shall serve as the table of contents for the Student Government Statutes:

TITLE NAME

- I. The System of Statutes (100-199)
- II. Parliamentary Authority (200-299)
- III. The Executive Branch (300-399)
- IV. The Legislative Branch (400-499)
- V. The Judicial Branch (500-599)
- VI. The Election Statutes Code (600-699)
- VII. The Enforcement Statutes (700-799)
- VIII. The Financial Statutes Code (800-899)
- IX. Installation and Eligibility Requirements (900-999)
- X. Code of Ethics (1000-1099)
- XI. ~~SG Executive Agencies~~ The Executive Agency Statute (1100-1199)
- XII. The University and Student Affairs Committee Statute (1200-1299)
- XIII. ~~XIII-~~ The Government Oversight Committee Statute (1300-1399)

- C. Each chapter may be subdivided by means of a decimal arrangement, for example: Chapter 100 may be divided into sections such as 100.1, 100.2 and so on, and each of these sections may in turn be subdivided by the use of letters in alphabetical order.
- D. Each Statute will have a printed history at the end of it, chronologically listing the bill numbers and dates of any amendments.

Chapter 101: Constitutional and Statutory Authority

101.1 The following shall set forth the ~~hierarchical~~ hierarchy of authority of the Student Government Constitution, Statutes, ~~policy~~ policies, procedures, or standing rules.

- A. The Student Government Constitution shall be the superseding document of all SG documents,

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including statutes, policies, procedures, and standing rules. No statute, policy, procedure, or standing rule may override the Student Government Constitution.

- B. The Student Government Statutes shall be the superseding document over all SG documents, not previously superseded by the Student Government Constitution, including policies, procedures, and standing rules. No policy, procedure, or standing rule may override the Student Government Statutes.
- C. The Student Government Constitution and Statutes will supersede any policies and procedures set forth by any entity of Student Government (Senate, ~~Supreme Court~~ Judicial Branch, standing committee).

Procedural Conflicts

101.2

~~The Student Government Constitution and Statutes will supersede any policies and procedures set forth by any entity of Student Government (Senate, Supreme Court, standing committee).~~

D.A. In the event that a statute, policy, procedure, or standing rule is found different from a document that supersedes it, the superseding document shall be correct in the matter. In case of this event, the Senate standing committee overseeing the statute, policy, procedure, or standing rule may change the document being superseded to become compliant with the overseeing superseding document without changing the intent thereof.

E.B. In the event a Senate standing committee makes any statute, policy, procedure, or standing rule corrections due to overseeing superseding documents, changes must be reported at the next Senate meeting immediately following the committee meeting in which changes were made.

HISTORY:

- SB-96F-933 (September 17, 1996)
- SB-00SA-1337 (May 16, 2000)
- SB-04F-1828 (November 29, 2004)
- SB-05S-1864 (February 14, 2005)
- SB-06SA-2027 (June 19, 2006)
- SB-07SB-2138 (July 21, 2007)
- SB-13S-2672 (February 25, 2013)

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Therefore: Let it be enacted that the following changes to Title I be made effective contingent upon the date of the validation of the Fall 2017 election, January 1st, 2018.

Legislative Action

Author: Constitution Revision Committee
Sponsor: Senator Vargas
Committee: Constitution & Statutes
Committee Action: 3-0-0
Date of Committee Action: October 13, 2017
Senate Action: Unanimous Consent
Date of Action: October 27th, 2017

Signed and Delivered to the Student Body President
on this 30th day of October 2017

Executive Action

Let it be known that SB-17F-3233 is hereby
APPROVED / VETOED / LINE-ITEM VETOED
on this 31st day of October, 2017

Signed: 
Thomas Beaucham, Student Body President

Signed and Delivered to the Senate Secretary

Signed: 
Nina Lee, Interim Student Senate President