



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY  
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

## 73<sup>rd</sup> STUDENT SENATE

**Senate Bill #: 25.**  
**Primary Sponsor:** Ramos, Marcus  
**Co-Sponsor(s):** Little

### A revision to the Student Body Statutes

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE SEVENTY THIRD STUDENT SENATE THAT:

A revision is made to the Student Body Statutes §100.5, §615.3, §615.4, §616.2, §616.3, §617.1, §617.2, §617.3, §617.4, §802.4, §810.2 (See attached).

To amend the statute to correcting Student Body Statutes to reflect the correct nomenclature of FSU Homecoming's signature event Homecoming Live.

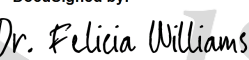
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#### CERTIFIED TO THE STUDENT BODY

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President of the Student Body Date



5/7/2021 | 10:29 PM EDT

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Director of the Student Governance & Advocacy Date



5/14/2021 | 5:12 PM EDT

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Vice President of Student Affairs Date

## Chapter 100

### 100.5

Within the Student Body the following elected or appointed offices shall be considered major offices:

- Student Body President
- Student Body Vice
- President Student Body
- Treasurer
- Student Body Attorney General
- Executive Chief of Staff
- Cabinet Officers
- Directors and Assistant Directors, Secretaries, Treasurers of Agencies, Bureaus, and Affiliated Projects
- Senators
- Union Board Members
- Campus Recreation Board Members
- Justices of the Student Supreme Court
- University Defenders
- General Counsels
- Clerk of the Court
- Speaker of the Congress of Graduate Students
- Supervisor of Elections
- Deputy Supervisors of Elections
- President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary of the Senior Class Council
- Homecoming and Homecoming Live Directors
- Any elected or appointed office which receives OPS Wages from Student Government.

## Chapter 615 The Homecoming Executive Council

### 615.3

Procedure for Selection of Homecoming Executive Council Leadership

- A. The Student Government Association Student Body President appoints the leadership of the Homecoming Executive Council consisting of the Director of Homecoming, Assistant Director of Homecoming, and the Homecoming Live Director in consultation with the outgoing Director of Homecoming and the Homecoming Advisor. The outgoing Homecoming Live Director shall be consulted when selecting the incoming Homecoming Live Director.
- B. A Special Application is needed to complete the official Homecoming Director, Assistant Director and Homecoming Live Director application, as authorized by the Director of Student Activities or a designee. The application shall be due no later than the end of the fall semester. The application must be available for a minimum of two weeks.
- C. The Advisor to the Homecoming Executive Council shall be the Assistant Director of Student Activities in the Oglesby Union.
- D. The Homecoming Executive Council shall include, but not be limited to, Director of Homecoming, Assistant Director of Homecoming, and Homecoming Live Director.
- E. The Student Body President must forward candidates to the Student Senate by the first Senate of the Spring Semester. In the case that this is not done, all applicants will be sent to the Senate for appointment at the next regularly scheduled session.

### 615.4

Additional members of the Homecoming Executive Council

- A. There shall be a Homecoming Selection Committee that interviews candidates for Homecoming Executive Council positions.
  - 1. This selection committee must consist of the Homecoming Director and Assistant Director, Homecoming Live Director, Chief of Staff, three (3) Student Senate appointments, SGA Advisor, Homecoming Advisor. The three (3) advisors will be non-voting members of the selection committee.
  - 2. The Student Senate President must appoint three (3) Senate appointments to the committee by the first Senate of the Spring Semester.
- B. The Homecoming Director has the authority to set the schedule for the selection committee but all candidates must be selected by the end of February.
- C. No candidates for HEC positions can be selected until the selection committee interviews and deliberates on all possible applicants.

### **Chapter 616 The Homecoming Planning Commission**

#### 616.2 Membership

- A. The Commission shall include seven (7) voting members and as many ex-officio non-voting members as desired.
- B. The voting members shall be the Student Body President, the Student Body Vice President, Student Senate President, Student Senate Pro Tempore, Homecoming Director, Homecoming Live Director and Inter Residence Hall Council Director.
- C. The voting members shall be allowed to send a student designee to vote in their place.
- D. The Chair of the Commission shall be the Student Senate President Pro Tempore

#### 616.3 Powers

The Commission is responsible for the authorization and scheduling of all Homecoming activities which are funded by A&S Fees.

- A. The Commission shall have the following authority:
  - 1. Assess the effectiveness of the current Homecoming activities.
  - 2. Sub-allocate A&S funds no later than the third Senate in the month of March in order to fund Homecoming activities for the following year.
  - 3. Authorize and approve the schedule of those Homecoming activities and events, including Homecoming Live and War Chant that are funded by A&S Fees.

### **Chapter 617 The Homecoming Live Planning Committee**

#### 617.1 Title

There shall be a Homecoming Live Planning Committee.

#### 617.2 Purpose and Intent

The Homecoming Live Planning Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Homecoming Live Committee, shall organize and promote an FSU pep rally for the students, faculty and staff during Homecoming Week. The pep rally event shall be referred to as Homecoming Live.

617.3

Membership and Officers

- A. The Advisor to the Homecoming Live Committee shall be the Director of Student Activities or a designee.
- B. The Homecoming Live Committee shall include, but not be limited to, Director of Homecoming Live and an Assistant Director of Homecoming Live appointed by the Student Body President and Assistant Director of Homecoming Live.
- C. Other officers will be appointed to the Committee to organize and plan the event by the Homecoming Live Director.

617.4

Powers and Duties

The Homecoming Live Committee shall:

- 1. Organize and finalize the event known as Homecoming Live.
- 2. Work in collaboration with student leaders and HEC in planning the event.
- 3. Attend Student Homecoming Feedback meetings held by the Homecoming Director.
- 4. All funding of this event will be allocated by the Homecoming Planning Commission.

The Advisor of Homecoming Live shall:

- 1. Work in collaboration with the Homecoming Live Committee in planning the event.
- 2. Exercise fiduciary responsibility by negotiating all contracts related to Homecoming Live.
- 3. Have full decision-making authority for the day of the show and the logistics related to the production.

**Chapter 802 General Guidelines & Restrictions on Expenditures**

802.4

Accessibility of Meetings & Events

Exempting SGA-sponsored concerts, no FSU student shall be charged admission for any event funded in whole or in part by A&S monies, unless the student is unable or unwilling to provide proof of studentship that shall include, but not be limited to, their valid FSU ID. All SGA-funded events and meetings must also be well publicized and conducted in an environment that is generally accessible to the public.

- A. No event or meeting at which A&S Fees are utilized may be conducted in a private residence. This includes, but is not limited to, apartments, homes, and condominiums. This does not apply to community clubhouses. Exceptions to this rule shall require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate.
- B. Evidence of an adequate advertisement plan of A&S Fee utilizing meetings and events must be presented at the time the expenditure is initially presented to the Student Body Treasurer. Failure to properly promote an event is grounds for rejection of all expenditures associated with the event.

- C. SGA-sponsored concerts shall include Headliners concerts, Homecoming Live, and any other concerts that attain the sponsorship of SGA via Senate resolution. Such concerts must have their ticket prices approved by Senate through resolution.
- D. Events should be held on campus if appropriate accommodations on campus are available. Agencies, bureaus, affiliated projects, and SGA offices must have off campus events approved via a resolution of the Student Senate. For Undergraduate RSOs to host events off campus, must have a majority vote of approval by the Programming Allocation Committee (PAC), or in the event that PAC does not meet, the Student Senate Finance Committee may approve the event. If PAC does not approve an event by majority vote, the Student Senate or the Student Senate Finance Committee may, by majority vote, override the PAC decision. Graduate RSOs must have approval as outlined in the COGS Code.

### **Chapter 810 Headliner Account Restrictions**

#### 810.2

No more than thirty-three (33) percent of the Headliners account may be used to perform or support activities related to Homecoming or Homecoming Live. The amount available for such people shall be based on the total amount in the Headliners account at the time of the first such expenditure.