



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

73rd STUDENT SENATE

Senate Bill #: 71
Primary Sponsor: Wang

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 § 908.7 (See attached).

To amend statutes imposing a time limit for the OGA Director to speak on each amendment to the Legislative Agenda in Legislative Agenda Caucus.

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Referred to Committee: Judiciary
Committee Report: Passed Judiciary 11/9
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Alexander Harmon

12/14/2021 | 3:08 PM PST

Student Senate President

PASSED: November 15th, 2021

CERTIFIED TO THE STUDENT BODY

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Tazzy Janvier

1/8/2022 | 8:44 PM EST

President of the Student Body

Date

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Dr. Felicia Williams

1/9/2022 | 6:16 PM EST

Director of the Student Governance & Advocacy

Date

Dr. Amy Hecht

1/10/2022 | 12:39 PM EST

Vice President of Student Affairs

Date

908.7 Student Body Legislative Agenda

For the purposes of 908.7 the phrase "Time Sensitive" shall be defined as the need to pass during the next Senate Meeting.

For the purposes of 908.7 the phrase "Legislative Agenda Caucus" shall be defined as a caucus within Senate which will enable the OGA director to give a formal opinion on the amendment containing the proposed changes.

A. Adoption

1. This agenda shall be compiled and approved by the Board of Directors.
2. The agenda shall be forwarded to the Student Senate for adoption by means of resolution at the discretion of the Senate President in consultation with the Director of the Office of Governmental Affairs.
 - a. Contingent on the Legislative Agenda being time sensitive if there is an amendment on the floor of the Senate there shall be a motion to enter the Legislative Agenda Caucus. All amendments should be filed before entering the Legislative Agenda Caucus. If the OGA Director approves the changes the amendment shall require a majority vote by the Senate in order to pass. If the OGA director opposes the changes the amendment shall require a two thirds (2/3) vote of the Senate in order to pass. The OGA Director shall have no more than five (5) minutes to speak on each proposed amendment to give a formal opinion.
 - b. If the Legislative Agenda is not deemed time sensitive amendments to change the Legislative Agenda must be submitted 24 hours prior to the Board of Directors meeting. The board shall give a formal opinion on the amendment containing the proposed changes. If the Board approves the changes the amendment shall require a majority vote in order to pass. If the Board opposes the changes the amendment shall require a two thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate in order to pass. Amendments will not be made on the floor of the Senate.
3. The Legislative Agenda shall be the official policy preferences endorsed by the student body