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STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

75th STUDENT SENATE Senate Resolution

Resolution #: 69

Primary Sponsor: Velazquez

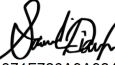
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Date: September 28th, 2023

Whereas: It is currently unclear what happens when a Senator fails to receive a 2/3 threshold for impeachment on the Senate floor for excessive absences, therefore

Be it resolved by the Seventy-fifth Student Senate at Florida State University that: The Student Senate Rules of Procedure be amended as follows:

- c. Taking the number of both excused and unexcused absences into consideration, the Rules Committee shall decide if the Senator is capable of continuing their work as a Senator in good faith.
 1. If the Rules Committee finds that the Senator is no longer capable of consistent attendance, they shall then forward the Senator to the Judiciary Committee for impeachment proceedings and the Judiciary Committee shall conduct those meetings according to all of the laws and rules related to impeachment contained in these rules, Statutes, and the Constitution.
 2. If the Rules Committee finds that the Senator is capable of continuing their work as a Senator in good faith, they shall unsuspend the Senator, then propose and vote on any number of additional absences that the Senator may accumulate before being suspended and subject to review by the Rules Committee again.
 3. If the Judiciary Committee finds that the Senator is capable of continuing their work as a Senator in good faith, the Senator shall be unsuspended. After the Judiciary Committee meeting in which the Senator is unsuspended, the Rules Committee shall propose and vote on any number of additional absences the Senator may accumulate before being re-suspended.
 4. If the Senate, via the impeachment process, finds that the Senator is capable of continuing their work as a Senator in good faith, the Senator shall be unsuspended. The Senate shall enter debate to propose and vote on any number of additional absences the Senator may accumulate before being re-suspended.

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Student Senate President

SENATE VOTE: 42-0-1
PASSED: October 18, 2023