



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

75th STUDENT SENATE Senate Resolution

Resolution #: 55

Primary Sponsor(s): Pedraja

Co-Sponsor(s): Arellano, Bevis, Hellman, Hirji, Kerley, Randall, Sparling

Date: July 19, 2023

Whereas: the Student Senate recognizes the need to ensure efficient and effective procedures for committee referral and consideration of legislations.

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

Section 5.9 Committee Referral shall be revised as:

“The Student Senate President shall refer all bills and constitutional amendments to the appropriate standing committee for consideration and action, and the Student Senate President may refer any resolution to committee or directly to the calendar for second reading. ~~In the occurrence of a bill being referred to multiple committees, the committee assignments shall be considered a sequential order. The bill must be passed in sequence by all the relevant committees to be placed on Second Reading.~~ In the case of a bill being referred to multiple committees, the committee assignments shall not be bound by a specific sequential order. The bill must receive approval from all relevant committees, regardless of the order, to be placed on Second Reading. Each committee shall review the most recently passed version of the bill. Once a bill passes an individual committee, it shall proceed, along with any amendments, to the next committee for consideration. Failure of a bill in any assigned committee shall result in its defeat, and it shall be removed from the Calendar.”

Be it further resolved that: this amendment to the Rules of Procedure shall take effect immediately upon approval.

DocuSigned by:

OFFICIAL:

371E726A9A924B6...

Student Senate President

SENATE VOTE: 26-0-9
PASSED: July 19th, 2023