



The University of West Florida Student Government Association

17-18 Bill VII: Freshman Committee Chair Voting Rights

Legislation: 17-18 Bill VII

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First Reading: _____	Second Reading: _____
Yes: _____	Yes: _____
No: _____	No: _____
Abstain: _____	Abstain: _____

Ms. Bayla Bessemer
Senate Pro Tempore

Be it known that Student Government 17-18 Bill VII is hereby signed on _____.

Pass

Veto

Date

Mr. Kishane Patel
Student Body President

Legislative Intent

An edit has been made in reference to the Freshman Committee Chairs status as an ex officio, non voting member of senate. The Freshman Committee Chair should be given the privilege to vote on matters brought up during senate as they were selected by their committee and voted on by senate. To better represent the Freshman Committee and the freshman class the Freshman committee Chair should be allowed to be a voting member of senate.

Chapter 803: Duties of the Freshman Committee Chair

- 803.01 The Freshman Committee Chair shall preside over meetings of the Freshman Committee.
- 803.02 The Freshman Committee Chair shall serve as ~~an ex-officio, non-voting~~ a voting member of the Senate.
- 803.03 The Freshman Committee Chair shall write legislation or make recommendations regarding legislation to the Senate in representation of the Freshman Committee.
- 803.04 The Freshman Committee Chair shall, in unanimous concurrence of the Freshman Committee, have the power to recommend to the Student Government Association Senate the removal of the Student Government Association Vice President from their duties as the Freshman Committee Advisor in the event of neglect or misuse of power. Should the Student Government Association Vice President be removed as advisor to the Freshman Committee, a new advisor shall be appointed by the President of Student Government Association. Removal of the Vice President as Freshman Committee Advisor shall be conducted in accordance with Title VII.
- 803.05 The Freshman Committee Chair shall appoint Freshman Committee members to Freshman Committee subcommittees with Majority Vote of the Freshman Committee.

803.06 The Student Government Association Vice President, in cooperation with the Freshman Committee Chair, shall determine a schedule for the Freshman Committee members to shadow meetings and members of the Committees of the Senate and the Offices of the Cabinet.

803.07 The Freshman Committee Chair shall serve as ~~an ex-officio, voting~~ a voting member of the Student Government Association Executive Committee.

803.08 The Freshman Committee Chair shall keep records of attendance of Freshman Committee members for all meetings and deliver those records to the Rules and Statutes Chair.

803.09 The Freshman Committee Chair will abide by Chapter 305.