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A BILL
TO AMEND THE LSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT LEGISLATIVE BRANCH RULES OF ORDER

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, THERE IS CURRENTLY NO LANGUAGE IN THE STUDENT SENATE GOVERNING DOCUMENTS THAT DESCRIBES THE USE OF SURVEY DATA IN THE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS; AND

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, REGULATIONS THAT CONSOLIDATE THE METHODS OF SURVEYING STUDENT OPINION WOULD PROVIDE THE SENATE WITH A MORE ACCOUNTABLE AND STATISTICALLY ACCURATE AVENUE TO EXPRESS DATA; AND

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, RULES 3.15 WILL BE INSERTED INTO CHAPTER 3 OF THE LSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT LEGISLATIVE BRANCH RULES OF ORDER AND SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

Rule 3.15. Usage of Original Survey Data in the Legislative Process

(A) Survey data must be obtained from an official surveying method as determined by the Speaker of the Senate.
(B) Notification of survey creation must be provided to the Speaker of the Senate and the Student Government Advisor prior to distribution.
(C) Violation of these rules may lead to removal of survey data from legislative instruments and disciplinary action taken against the author.

PARAGRAPH 4: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT SENATE THAT RULE 3.15 BE ADDED TO THE LSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT LEGISLATIVE BRANCH RULES OF ORDER AS DESCRIBED ABOVE, AND

PARAGRAPH 5: BE IT RESOLVED THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION BE TRANSMITTED TO MICHELLE LOWERY, STUDENT GOVERNMENT ADVISOR; ANDREW CHENEVERT, CHIEF JUSTICE; AND JASON DRODDY, PRESIDENT FOR STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS.

PARAGRAPH 6: THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A TWO-THIRDS (2/3) VOTE OF THE LSU STUDENT SENATE AND SIGNATURE BY THE PRESIDENT, UPON LAPSE OF TIME FOR PRESIDENTIAL ACTION, OR IF VETOED BY THE PRESIDENT AND SUBSEQUENTLY APPROVED BY THE SENATE, ON THE DATE OF SUCH APPROVAL.

APPROVED:

JAMES J. MICKLER    JASON J. BADEAUX
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE    STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE: ___________________   DATE: ___________________