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A BILL

TO AMEND ARTICLE VII OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT BYLAWS AND PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS.

PARAGRAPH 1: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

Article VII: Records Management, Public Records, Management, & Meetings

SECTION 1. Review of Legislative, Executive, and Judicial records
Each Year the Speaker, President, and Chief Justice shall review the records of each branch of the Student Government -- with each being responsible for the branch in which they serve -- to determine which of the records are no longer current. All records of over two (2) years of age shall be deemed no longer current.

SECTION 2. Non-current records delivered to the LSU Archives
All records, which are no longer current, shall be delivered to the LSU Archives, unless their presence is deemed necessary by one of the officials mentioned in Section 1 of this Article.

SECTION 3. Student Government records declared public records
All records of the Student Government are hereby declared to be public records.

SECTION 4. Public Records, definition
The LSU A&M Student Government and its entities or any entity, club, student organization, or department that received any amount of money from Student Government and its entities or receives money through a student fee referenda sponsored or provided for under the LSU Student Government Constitution shall abide by Title 44 of the Louisiana Revised Statues in all matters pertaining to Public Records. Failure to abide by Title 44 will result in the nullification of allocated monies.

SECTION 5. Document Notation
If the University Courts provide interpretations to any document in the Student Government pursuant to their power under Article IV, Section 5 of the Constitution, A notation shall be inserted within the applicable section of the document to say “See court case caption and Docket Number for interpretation of this provision. The Chief Justice shall notify the Speaker of the Senate of such notation in writing within one week of the final written majority opinion.

SECTION 6. Meetings
The LSU A&M Student Government and its entities or any entity, club, student organization, or department that received any amount of money from Student Government and its entities or receives money through a student fee referenda sponsored or provided for under the LSU Student Government Constitution shall abide by Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes in all matters pertaining to Public Meetings insofar as all meetings relating to that which is being funded or the funds themselves are considered. Failure to abide by Title 42 will result in the nullification of allocated monies.

PARAGRAPH 2: THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A TWO-THIRDS 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:

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ASHLEY D. MARTIN – SPEAKER    CHRISTOPHER K. ODINET – PRESIDENT

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