

ACT 1314-SP-015

An Act Concerning the Procedure to Remove an Executive Officer of the Council of Graduate Students

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Section 1. The purpose of this act shall be to amend the Constitution of The Council of Graduate Students (CGS) to strengthen and clarify the procedural steps needed to remove an Executive Officer.

Section 2. Whereas, Article V, Section 7.A of the Constitution of the CGS currently reads as follows:

“Section V.7: The Council has the authority to remove an Executive Officer only through the following procedure:

V.7.A. The written motion for such an action, bearing the signatures of at least ten certified Council delegates, must be submitted at a regular meeting of the Council.”

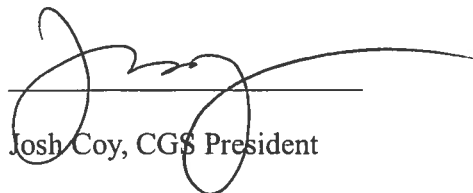
Section 3. Whereas, in order to have a more rigorous check on Council authority and broaden the options to begin the process of impeachment, the amended section will read as:

“V.7.A. The written motion for such an action, bearing the signatures of at least ten certified Council delegates, or an affidavit of a two thirds majority vote of the Executive Committee, must be submitted at a regular meeting of the Council.”

Section 5. Therefore, be it resolved that this act strengthens and clarifies the procedures of removal of an Executive Officer.

Section 6. Further, be it resolved, the changes contained within this act, shall be effective immediately and the Constitution will be updated to reflect such a change.

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