

Eighth Amendment to the SGO Constitution (Proposed)

RESOLVED:

That the words “and 2 alternates” be stricken from Article IV, Section 2, and the words “and alternates” be stricken from Article IV, Section 3, and the words “or alternate” be stricken from Article VII, Section 1.

That the following clauses be appended to Article IV, Section 3: “A. Should an SGO Representative be absent from at least 3 meetings in a row without reasonable excuse, the SGO may vote to send notification to that Representative that he is in danger of replacement. This letter having been received, if the Representative is again absent to the following meeting, the SGO Council may resolve to hold a vote to replace him. B. The resolution to hold a vote having succeeded, the remaining members of the SGO Council may nominate potential replacement Representatives, and the victor of an election between the nominees by the SGO Council shall be sufficient to install him as the replacement Representative.”

That the text of Article VI, Section 1 be stricken and replaced by the following: “An S.G.O. Representative is impeached by petition of no less than one-third (33%) of the general Student Body of his Class, or by vote of two-thirds (67%) of the SGO Council, with a written statement describing how that Representative is deserving of conviction. Otherwise, procedures for convicting SGO Representatives are identical to procedures for convicting SGO Officers. If an SGO Representative is convicted, he may continue his Class duties unless otherwise specified in that Class’ Constitution.”

That the words “a majority” in Article VI, Section 2 be stricken and replaced by the words “three sixteenths.”

That the words “or 150 students, whichever is more, or by vote of three-quarters of the SGO Council, with a written statement describing how that Officers is deserving of conviction with any method,” be inserted between the words “body and” in Article VI, Section 2.

That the following section be appended to Article VI: “Upon being convicted, an SGO Officer or Representative is immediately relieved of

his SGO title, duties, and privileges. No person convicted may hold any other position in the SGO for the remainder of that school year.”

That the following section be appended to Article VI: “Officers shall also be subject to the replacement provisions of Article IV, Section 3, Clause A.”

That the following section be appended to Article XIII: “The use of the pronoun ‘he’ in this Constitution does not in any way imply that said persons must be male.”

That simple motion of the SGO Council may authorize the correction of spelling and/or punctuation errors in the text of the SGO Constitution.