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SENATE

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GOVERNMENT CODE UPDATE REGULATION ACT

An Act to legislate how the USG Code is to be updated

Be it enacted by the Senate of the Undergraduate Student Government,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the “Code Maintenance Act.”

SECTION 2. FINDINGS

The Senate finds that—

1. The USG Code, as an easily-accessible and organized conglomeration of all existing USG Law, is the official and positive codification of the laws in USG;
2. As an important example of positive law, the USG Code is an important document, maintaining constitutional government for the undergraduate student body at Stony Brook University; and
3. Despite the Office of Law Revision being charged with updating and maintaining the USG Code, its duties are poorly enumerated and require detailing.

SECTION 3. FUNCTIONS

The Office of Law Revision shall –

1. Prepare and submit to the Senate, after approval by the Legislative Review Committee, at the start of each month, revisions in the specific titles of the Code which have been updated through the promulgation of legislation; and
2. After approval by the Senate, publish the new edition of the Code prior to the start of the next academic semester.

SECTION 4. REQUIREMENTS

The Executive Vice President and the President Pro-Tempore shall appoint the members of the Law Revision Council meeting the following requirements:

1. The Office of Law Revision shall be comprised of a minimum of five people, to be appointed without regard to political affiliation and solely on the basis of fitness to perform the duties of the position.
2. The Office of Law Revision shall be comprised of members of the Senate. A majority of the members of the Office of Law Revision shall be voting members of the Senate.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Act shall take effect on May 24th, 2011.

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Date

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Date