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STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

A Resolution of Governance Establishing the Position of Deputy Comptroller.

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Whereas: The Comptroller is charged with overseeing allocations of the Student Activity Fee and has organizational financial oversight over all student organization accounts; **AND**

Whereas: The Comptroller has the ability to undertake projects which will better serve all who participate in the Student Activity Fee; **AND**

Whereas: The Comptroller has responsibilities which extend far beyond the Finance Board meetings; **AND**

Whereas: The Comptroller appoints a Vice Chair, who serves as the Vice Chair of the Finance Board; **AND**

Whereas: This Vice Chair is responsible for assisting the Comptroller in issues extending past their responsibilities as Vice Chair of the meeting; **AND**

Whereas: The Vice Chair of the Finance Board assumes the role of the Comptroller in the event of the Comptroller's resignation; **AND**

Whereas: Up until 2010-2011, the Vice President for Financial Affairs was served by an Assistant Vice President for Financial Affairs; **AND**

Whereas: The Vice President for Student Involvement, who also chairs a Board, is served by an Assistant Vice President. **THEREFORE**

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Article VII Section G be added to the Constitution:

G. Deputy Comptroller
1. The Deputy Comptroller is a Senator or student-at-large appointed by the Comptroller. The Deputy Comptroller has the responsibilities to:
a. Assume the responsibilities of the Comptroller, pursuant to Article VI, Section B, Subsection 3, in the case that the Comptroller resigns, is removed from, or abandons office; and
b. Aid the Comptroller with the Comptroller's responsibilities.
2. The Deputy Comptroller has the power and responsibility to serve as the Vice-Chair of the Finance Board.

AND FURTHER THAT:

Article II Section D of the Bylaws be amended to say:

1. The Finance Board will be comprised of the chair, as defined in the Constitution, Deputy Comptroller, not more than six Association Senators (no more than one of which is a Special Interest Senator), not more than six undergraduate students that are not Senators, and the Student Activities Business Office Manager. All members will have voting privileges, except the chair, who will vote in the case of a tie. There must be at least two students that are not Senators for voting to occur. The members of the Board are not to vote as special interest advocates, but as student interest advocates.

Respectfully submitted to the Senate,

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Anthony Golia IV
Comptroller

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Michael W. Sabo
President

ATTEST:

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William D. Pett
Executive Vice President

Date: _____
YAY: _____
NAY: _____
ABSTAIN: _____