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SENATE

2010 EMERGENCY POWERS ACT

An Act to provide procedures to ensure the USG operates smoothly when a vacancy in the Office of the Treasury exists.

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

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the “2010 Emergency Powers Act.”

SECTION 2. VOUCHER APPROVAL

1. Until a Treasurer shall be duly elected in the Fall elections for an academic year in which a vacancy in the Office of the Treasury shall occur—
 1. All vouchers from any branch of the USG will receive signatory approval from the Executive Vice President, in lieu of the USG Treasurer.
 2. All vouchers from any USG funded club or organization will receive signatory approval from the Vice President of Clubs and Organizations, in lieu of the USG Treasurer.
 3. The Executive Vice President, regardless of the sponsored organization, will sign all vouchers for contracts.
 4. The Executive Vice President shall be the signatory authority of all contracts subject to the contract approval procedures of the USG.

SECTION 3. BUDGET COMMITTEE

1. Until a Treasurer shall be duly elected in the fall elections for the academic year in which a vacancy in the Office of the Treasury shall occur—
 1. The Vice-Chair of the Budget Committee shall become the acting chair of said committee.
 2. The Budget Committee shall elect from its membership, an SAB Liaison who shall serve in the capacity as Treasurer of the SAB.

SECTION 4. FALL REVISIONS PROCESS

1. The Senate Budget Committee under the direction of the Acting Chair shall conduct the Fall Revisions process.
2. During fall budget revisions, the Senate shall vote on each funded organization that requests a budget modification independently, through a series of acts for each alteration to the academic year budget, subject to the process delineated in the Senate Bylaws.

SECTION 5. RATE OF COMPENSATION

The rate of pay for the Vice-Chair of the Budget Committee shall become \$100/week until a Treasurer is elected.

SECTION 6. ENACTMENT

1. This Act shall take effect immediately following the enactment of this Act.
2. This Act shall expire following the successful completion of the fall election for the 2010 – 2011 academic year USG Treasurer, provided the results of the election are not contested, in which case this Act shall expire following the ruling of the USG Supreme Court on the election.
3. This Act shall be revisited and evaluated for effectiveness following the expiration of this Act, and the Senate shall vote to establish procedures in the case of a future vacancy in the Office of the Treasurer.

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