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# UNIVERSITY-WIDE COUNCIL BILL

Florida International University ◊ Student Government Association

**Agenda Item:** Amendment to the qualifications that a person needs to have in other to run for President and Vice President

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**Committee:** University-Wide Council

**Date:** November 21st, 2016

**Title:** President & Vice President Qualifications

**Section 1:** This proposed action will outline the qualifications that someone interested in running for Student Government President and Vice President at the Modesto A. Maidique and Biscayne Bay Campus need to meet in order to qualify.

**Section 2:** Article VII Qualifications  
Section 4 Qualifications for the Executive

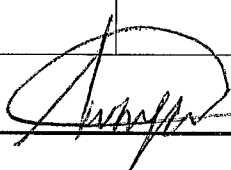
A. The President and Vice President shall:

1. Have attended FIU for a minimum of one year and achieved at least sophomore standing **Have completed a minimum of 30 (thirty) credit hours by the time of intending/applying to run.**
2. **The President/Vice President shall have held at least one SGA position (Executive, Legislative or Judicial) for (2) consecutive semesters prior to intending/applying to run for office.** ~~for at least two (2) semesters or one hundred and fifty four (154) consecutive days prior to the first day of campaigning in general elections, except in the case the President succeeds to office.~~

- a. Agencies/Bureaus and Governing Councils may run for President and Vice President if and only if there are no candidates qualified to run for the Office of the President and Vice President.

**Section 3:**

This proposed action shall be implemented in the Spring semester of 2017; contingent on a three fifth (3/5) majority of those voting in the special election of November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Veto		<u>Date Signed:</u> 11/29/2016		
<b>x</b>	 <b>Alian Collazo, SGC-MMC President</b> <b>Allhan W. Mejia, SGC-BBC President</b>			