

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT SPRINGFIELD

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION RESOLUTION (2011-05)

Resolution Amending Article V, Section 1 of the UIS SGA Constitution

By President Matt Van Vossen

WHEREAS, The Student Government Association (SGA) is vested with the authority to represent the students of the University of Illinois at Springfield in issues affecting them; and

WHEREAS, the SGA is proposing constitutional changes to the student body via referendum; and

WHEREAS, there has been some confusion regarding the qualifications to serve on the SGA.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in order to clarify the qualifications necessary to serve on the SGA, Article V, Section 1 of the UIS SGA Constitution be amended to read as follows and be included in the 2011 Spring Referendum:

Members of the student body who serve the on the Student Government Association or represent the student body by appointment of the SGA to campus or university committees must maintain at least half time status at the time of appointment/election through the duration of their term in office. Half-time status is defined as being enrolled for a minimum of six (6) credit hours as an undergraduate student, or for a minimum of four (4) hours as a graduate student. Students who are in their final term of study and are completing only courses required for graduation are exempted from the half-time status requirement.

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