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2 President Marquis

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4 Bill to Amend the Legislative Branch By-Laws, Article 6, Section 2 Absence Policy

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6 WHEREAS, the Student Government Association is the official student governing body for Illinois State
7 University;

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9 WHEREAS, communication and transparency are goals of the 2010-2011 Student Government
10 Association Administration;

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12 WHEREAS, the current Legislative Branch By-Laws, Article 6, Section 2 Absence Policy are not clear in
13 regards to On-Campus Senators and area government meetings;

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15 WHEREAS, the current Legislative Branch By-Laws, Article 6, Section 2 Absence Policy do not
16 appropriately address the concern of area government meetings;

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18 WHEREAS, the proposed amendments to the Legislative Branch By-Laws, Article 6, Section 2 Absence
19 Policy will eliminate questions, concerns, and vagueness from the documents;

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21 WHEREAS, the new By-Laws will now contain the line:

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23 On-Campus Senators are required to attend the area government meetings that they represent unless there is a
24 conflict with a mandatory Student Government Association meeting or event or conflict with a class time.

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26 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association approves the
27 changes to the Legislative Branch By-Laws, Article 6, Section 2 Absence Policy;

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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs the
30 Secretary of the Assembly to implement the approved changes immediately.

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33 Adopted by the Assembly of the Student Government Association on the 8th day of
34 September , 2010.

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36 We hereunto set our hands in affirmation of the adoption of this bill by the Assembly of the Student
37 Government Association:

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David Marquis, Student Body President

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Doug Schlessler, President of the Assembly

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Nora Diaz, Secretary of the Assembly

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