

**A Bill Establishing Amendments and Revisions to the SGA Constitution**

**Whereas**, the current SGA Constitution contains several ambiguities, grammatical errors and inconsistencies, and statements contradictory to the Senate Bylaws, thereby inhibiting the SGA and student body's respective abilities to accurately and consistently interpret the rules and procedures contained therein, and

**Whereas**, the SGA Constitution has not been comprehensively reviewed and revised in several years, resulting in a document that does not sufficiently reflect the structure and responsibilities of the SGA and its individual members, and

**Whereas**, the SGA Vice President commissioned a Constitutional Revisions Committee whose efforts have addressed the aforementioned issues and whose members have proposed a biannual revision process in order to address similar issues that may arise during future SGA administrations,

**THEREFORE, Let it be hereby enacted by the Senate of the Student Government Association of The University of Alabama in Huntsville that:**

1. The amendments and revisions detailed in the attached Constitution draft shall be ratified pursuant to *Article VIII, Section 1b* and *Article IX, Section 1b* of the SGA Constitution. The UAH student body shall vote upon the proposed amendments and revisions during the 2017-2018 SGA elections.
2. The SGA Vice President shall be obligated to commission a Constitutional Revisions Committee in order to complete the biannual revisions process pursuant to the new constitutional article, *Article IX - Periodic Revisions of the Constitution*.

**Let it be further enacted that:**

1. **Copies of this resolution be delivered to Dean of Students T.J. Brecciaroli, UAH President Robert Altenkirch, and Provost Christine Curtis.**

Presented to the Senate of the Student Government Association of The University of Alabama in Huntsville for its consideration on this, the 21st day of November, 2016, Jessica Eason presiding.

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Sponsors: Constitutional Revisions Committee, Senator Matthew Watts, SGA Tribunal

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