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Committee Transparency Act

Whereas, currently there is no centrally publicized list of students on university-wide committees for students to communicate any issues or concerns they may have;

Whereas, every student at the University of Houston should have ability to locate and contact their appointed representatives on various university-wide committees for any reason;

Therefore, be it enacted by the Senate of the Student Government Association of the University of Houston:

That the following constitutional amendment be added to the Student Bill of Rights subject to approval of all members of the Student Government Association in the next election in the Spring of 2019:

“Amend Article II: Bill of Rights

Section 2.06 All students of the University of Houston will enjoy access on the SGA website to their SGA appointed-representatives on university-wide committees.”

Be it further enacted, the following section of Title III, Article 1, Section 5, add Clause 9:

“Clause 9: The Vice-President will publicize and maintain and updated list of all university-wide committee appointments on the SGA website except for all hearing boards, traffic court. Any updates to this list must be made with 3 business days of any changes to committee compositions. This list must include but is not limited to the following information: the name of the appointee, their committee, and their

University of Houston e-mail address. The Vice-President will determine the specific format of the maintained publicized list on the SGA Website. Members of any Hearing and Review/Appellate Boards, excluding the Student Fee Advisory Committee, identities shall not be publicized due to the sensitivity of their work on these various university committees. Students may opt out of publishing personal information if so inclined."

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