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ASSEMBLY BILL # 37

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CLARIFICATION OF THE PROXY VOTING RULES

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION,

NOTING that there are currently no itemized rules or policies for the use of proxy voters in an Assembly member’s absence, and

FURTHER NOTING that members of the GPSA Executive Committee and the Directors associated with these Executives do not surrender their membership to the GPSA by the status of their position, then

BE IT ENACTED that the GPSA Bylaws should be modified as follows:

INSERT Title II, Article 4, Section C

C. Assembly members who cannot attend an Assembly meeting are required to send a proxy voter, as outlined in Article 3 of this Title. Any GPSA member is eligible to serve as a proxy for an Assembly member, although no individual may cast more than one vote, therefore Assembly members may not proxy for one another. Current GPSA Executive Officers and Directors may serve as proxies, although for at most one Assembly member at any point of time. All proxy assignments must be submitted to the Assembly President by the absentee Assembly member prior to the start of the meeting; no proxies may be appointed during the meeting itself.