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Texas A&M University

S.B. 71-13

The Student Senate
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Introduced By: Karina Wilson, Rules and Regulations, CEHD Caucus
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Action Taken



Certified By:

Mitch Parker
Speaker of the Senate

Duly Approved:

Amy Sharp
Student Body President

Debating by Legislation Authors Act

"An act to allow legislation authors to debate for/against their own bills/resolutions"

Whereas(1): Currently legislation authors are not allowed to debate for or against their own legislation; and,

Whereas(2): We have not operated under these rules for multiple sessions; and,

Whereas(3): We believe this was inserted into the code to not allow legislation authors and presenters to advocate on behalf of their bills and/or resolutions.



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Therefore

Let it be

Enacted(1): Article VI Section V subsection d be changed to read as follows: “Bill/resolution authors may participate in bill presentations and will have speaking privileges for the periods of presentation and question and answer. Bill/resolution authors who are not members of the Student Senate shall not be granted speaking privileges for periods of debate. Bill/resolution authors who are Student Senators can debate as normal.”

Let it be

Further

Enacted(2): A copy of this bill be sent to:
Karina Wilson, Rules and Regulations Chair