Motion to:	Approve		**Representative Moved:**			Laurore		**Seconded:**	Gregg
Votes:	**For**	31	**Against**	0	**Abstain**	0	**Date:**	November 3rd 2009	

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 001.110309

AN ACT AMENDING ARTICLE VII SECTION 1 AND ARTICLE V SECTION 6 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Short Title: Constitution Elections Revisions Act
Author: Scott Trebat, *Senior Class President*
Sponsors: Charles Soden, *Student Body Vice President*
Mandates: Scott Trebat, *SGA Elections Board Committee Chair;* Larissa LaCour, *Assistant Director of Campus Activities & Involvement*; Jon Kapell, *Associate Director of Campus Activities & Involvement*; Carolyn Farley, *Director of Campus Life;*

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association (SGA) at the University of North Carolina Wilmington (UNCW), while reviewing the elections packet for the upcoming elections, found that there are some areas of the SGA Constitution that, in the interest of clarification, should be amended; now, therefore, be it"

ENACTED, that the Constitution of the Student Government Association be amended as follows:

ARTICLE V, SECTION 6
Clause originally read:

E) Elections Board
5. *Upon appointment to the Elections Board, members are prohibited from becoming a candidate in any election planned by the Elections Board during their time on the committee.*

Clause now reads:

E) Elections Board
5. *Upon appointment to the Elections Board, members are prohibited from becoming a candidate in any election planned by the Elections Board during their time on the committee. In the event an acting member of the Elections Board submits a nomination form for Spring elections, the member will be respectfully dismissed from their position on the Elections Board. A replacement will be appointed by the Elections Board chair and approved by 2/3 of the Legislature at the next regularly scheduled Legislative Body Meeting.*

ARTICLE VII, SECTION 1
Clause originally read:

B) *The SGA elections packet shall be annually revised by the SGA Elections Board, and submitted to the SGA Legislative Body for approval. Submission of the elections packet*

must occur prior to the last scheduled meeting of the fall semester of each academic year.

D) *In the event that an updated packet is not approved by the Legislative body, prior to the end of the last scheduled Legislative Body meeting of the Fall semester, the previous year's packet shall remain in place, until the approval of an updated packet occurs.*

Clause now reads:

B) *The SGA elections packet shall be biannually revised by the SGA Elections Board, and submitted to the SGA Legislative Body for approval. ~~Submission~~ Approval of the elections packet must occur no later than the second regularly scheduled Legislative Body meeting for Fall elections, and no later than the third regularly scheduled Legislative body meeting for Spring Elections. ~~prior to the last scheduled meeting of the fall semester of each academic year~~.*

D) *In the event that an updated packet is not approved by the Legislative body~~, prior to the end of the last scheduled Legislative Body meeting of the Fall semester~~ by the second regularly scheduled Legislative Body meeting for Fall elections, or the the third regularly scheduled Legislative body meeting for Spring Elections, the previous year's packet shall remain in place, until the approval of an updated packet occurs.*

X			**November 4th 2009**
Pass	**Fail**	**Student Body Vice President**	**Date**
X			**November 4th 2009**
Pass	**Veto**	**Student Body President**	**Date**