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Bill 40-17-F. A Bill to Amend the Bylaws of the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University.

PURPOSE: To add section 3.8 to the Western Kentucky University Student Government Association Bylaws on Senate meeting procedure.

WHEREAS: Add Section 3.8 titled "Parliamentarian" and

WHEREAS: Add Section 3.8.1 stating: "The parliamentarian shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Senate and approved by the Senate. The Parliamentarian shall be in good standing in the University; not a member of the Senate, Executive Branch, or Judicial Cabinet; and have a demonstrated working knowledge of Parliamentary procedure. The Parliamentarian shall advise the Speaker of the Senate on parliamentary procedure, and shall render interpretations of *Robert's Rules of Order*, Newly Revised as requested by the Speaker of the Senate, any Executive Cabinet member, any chair of any standing or special committee, or any member of the Senate. The Parliamentarian shall be considered a member of the Legislative Branch. As outlined in Article I, Section 1 of these Bylaws, *Robert's Rules of Order*, Newly Revised shall be the parliamentary authority for the Student Senate."

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University will amend the Bylaws of the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University to add Section 3.8 and 3.8.1.

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