

Student Body Senate
Florida International University
Miami, Florida

S.B. 01 009

Creation of the Black Student Union Bureau of the Student Government Association

IN THE SENATE

APRIL 5, 2021

Senator Cristhofer Lugo, Senator James Magee, introduced the following Bill which was presented on the Senate
Floor

A BILL

To establish the Black Student Union (BSU) as a Bureau of the Student Government Association

Be it enacted by the Senate of the Student Body at Florida International University assembled,



Cristhofer Lugo



James Magee

Whereas, According to SGAC§9.01.3 “Bureaus shall be student organizations whom have their creation, purpose, structure, and constitution approved by the Student Government Association. Bureaus shall be the student organizations created for the express purpose of serving specific areas of student concern such as race, religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, culture, affinity, social group, or other purpose as approved by the Student Government Association for the University Community as a whole”

Whereas, The Black Student Union is a Student Organization that serves the Student Body as a whole for the specific purpose of providing cultural, educational and social entertainment to our university community through leadership, involvement, and diversified programming, while striving to empower our student body in their efforts to make the most of their college experience, promote unity and contribute to student success.

Whereas, The Black Student Union has submitted all documents necessary and proper for their formation as a Bureau in the Student Government Association.

Whereas, The Black Student Union serves the Student Body in this capacity currently and has demonstrated an exceptional commitment to the Student Body of Florida International University and Student leadership



Whereas, The Student Government Association and the Student Body as a whole gain an extreme benefit from this organization and its continued existence

Whereas, The organization has submitted documentation detailing their intent to join the Student Government Association as a Bureau

Now Therefore, The Senate of the Student Body does hereby recognize the Black Student Union as a unit of the Student Government Association and does hereby confer the status of Bureau to the Black Student Union from this point forward.

Senate Bill Transmission Form

This Bill is presented by the Senate of the Student Body at Florida International University presiding in its first session in the year 2020. It is presented by the Senate President Pro-Tempore and affixed with the signature of the Senate President. Both the Senate President and the Senate President Pro-Tempore affirm that the information presented below is accurate and that the bill has successfully passed in the Senate of the Student Body. The bill is presented on this day and this hour and in this place for signature or veto.

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Date Introduced	March 29 th		
Committees Assigned	Student Life and Academic Concerns Committee		
Vote in Student Life and Academic Concerns Committee	For - 4	Against - 0	Abstaining - 0
Vote Count in the Senate	For - 29	Against - 0	Abstaining - 1
 Signature of the Senate President		 Signature of the Senate President Pro-Tempore	

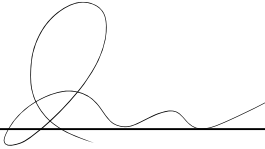

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Alexandra Valdes President of the Student Body

This signature acknowledges the receipt of this bill to the desk of the president awaiting signature or veto.

Presidential Signature of a Senate Bill

On This day, at this time, and in this place, The Senate of the Student Body at Florida International University does hereby present this bill to the desk of the President of the Student Body for Signature or Veto. The Senate has passed this bill and all its accompaniments, in accordance with the Constitution and Statutes of the Student Government Association at Florida International University. It is presented in good faith, whereas the officers of the Senate have affixed their Signatures to affirm that the Bill has followed due procedure and is valid. The Senate will await your decision.

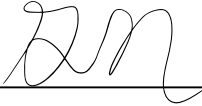
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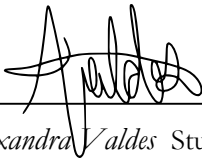
Janelle Fraga Senate President



Bryan Gomez Senate President Pro-Tempore



Giacomo Natteri Senate Majority Leader



Alexandra Valdes Student Body President

Approved

Vetoed

