Recommended Changes to the Bylaws: (suggested edits from the Central Council are italicized)

Bylaws, Article IV. Attendance

   Section 1. If any member of the Central Council accrues four absences over the course of their year-long term, they will be dismissed from the Assembly by the president. These absences include regular meetings of the General Assembly and any other mandatory Student Assembly event. The President of the Student Assembly retains the right to declare events outside the Central Council’s weekly meeting mandatory with 10 day notice.

   Section 2. Arriving late to a meeting will count as one-third of an absence. Student Assembly will define being “late” as arriving after the president calls the meeting to order.

   Section 3. The secretary will be responsible for maintaining a record of attendance, and notifying those representatives who were marked late or absent after the conclusion of the meeting by email.

   Section 4. Absences may be excused if a legitimate excuse (including, but not limited to, unavoidable conflicts due to other on-campus commitments) is provided to and accepted by the secretary and the president via email no less than twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting in question. Absences in the case of emergencies, (including, but not limited to, medical and family) will not be held against the representatives. These circumstances may be excused by the president at their discretion. Academic coursework does not warrant an excused absence.

   Section 5. In the event that a member is dismissed from the Student Assembly for attendance, the President and Vice President will submit an internal written explanation to the Central Council detailing why that person was dismissed.