Associated Student Government  
University of Arkansas

ASG Senate Bill No. 4
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The Homecoming Eligibility Reform Act of 2019

Whereas, Homecoming is one of the largest and longest lasting  
traditions at the University of Arkansas and an opportunity  
for current and former students to come together; and

Whereas, The current Associated Student Government Code of Laws  
provides no guidelines or clarity on the eligibility and  
selection of the Homecoming Court other than King and  
Queen, the amount of individuals selected for the court, or  
the amount of times one could participate in the process;  
and

Whereas, The current Associated Student Government Code of Laws  
Title VII. Section 1 states “There will be one male senior  
selected by the student body as King” and “There will be one  
female senior selected by the student body as Queen”; and

Whereas, There is a need to reform the eligibility process as it is  
currently possible for a student to participate and possibly  
win multiple times, and be selected for court without the  
possibility of being selected as King or Queen; then

Be it therefore resolved: That Title VII Section 1 “Homecoming Court  
Selection Procedure” be added to the ASG Code  
of Laws ; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection A. be added  
to the ASG Code of Laws to say “Any  
participation in the Homecoming Process must  
be limited to senior students who are duly  
enrolled undergraduate students.”; and

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Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection A. Subsubsection a. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “The Homecoming Court shall be comprised of 7 senior males and 7 senior females who are duly enrolled undergraduate students.”; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection A. Subsubsection b. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “Senior status is defined as a student having passed 90 or more undergraduate credit hours, as confirmed during co-curricular checks by the Office of Student Activities”; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection A. Subsubsection c. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “All seniors must also confirm their intention to graduate within two semesters of the homecoming selection process taking place.”; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection B. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “Each student may only accept an organization’s nomination and participate in the Homecoming selection process once.”; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 1 Subsection C. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “The Homecoming Court shall be selected by a panel of judges as outlined in Title VII Section 4 Subsection C of the Associated Student Government Code of Laws.”; and

Be it further resolved: That Title VII Section 2 Subsection D. be added to the ASG Code of Laws to say “The Homecoming King and Queen shall be selected from the 7 males and 7 females chosen to serve on that year’s Homecoming Court.”; and
Be it finally resolved: That the current ASG Code of Laws Title VII Sections 1, 2, and 3 be renamed to Sections 2, 3, and 4 respectfully, in accordance with the addition of a new Title VII Section 1.

Be it finally resolved In accordance with this act an individual who participated in the homecoming process prior to the passage of this act is eligible to participate in the homecoming process one additional time.

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Amendments: 

Vote Count: Aye 50 Nay 0 Abstentions 

Legislation Status: Passed X Failed Other 

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