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## FOLLOWING INTERNAL REVIEW ON BEHALF OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONSTITUTION

Hunter Brooke, Student Union Parliamentarian Daniel Jung, Student Body President Koryn Isa, Judicial Council President

## AN ORDER TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION REGARDING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CAMPUS LIFE COUNCIL

Whereas, the purpose of the Parliamentarian per Article XII, Section 3(c)(1) of the Constitution of the Undergraduate Student Body of the University of Notre Dame du Lac (The Constitution) is to "advise the Chairperson of the Senate and Campus Life Council regarding parliamentary procedure and The Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure;"

Whereas, to effectively advise the Chairperson of the Senate regarding Parliamentary procedure, the Parliamentarian has been designated as a non-voting member of the Senate *ex officio*, as per Article III, Section 2(g)(2) of The Constitution;

Whereas, the Parliamentarian has been designated as a non-voting member of various other bodies, including the Student Union Ethics Commission and the Election Committee, also to offer procedural and constitutional advice;

*Whereas*, despite being explicitly tasked with advising the Campus Life Council, the Parliamentarian is not currently an enumerated member of the Campus Life Council;

Whereas, individuals occupying advisory positions within the Student Union generally serve as non-voting members of the bodies they advise, except in the case of the Parliamentarian;

Whereas, allowing the Parliamentarian to serve as an unbiased, non-voting member of the Campus Life Council does not affect the outcome of any substantive issue investigated by the Committee, or the result of any vote;

Whereas, the current standing of the Parliamentarian in relation to the Campus Life Council—as an advisor to the Council itself, but as a non-member without speaking rights—places the Parliamentarian in a bizarrely atypical and potentially contradictory position;

Whereas, amending the Constitution to designate the Parliamentarian as a non-voting member of the Campus Life Council shall eliminate this irregularity;

Whereas, the Student Body President intends to seek amendment to the Campus Life Council bylaws concurrent with this Constitutional change; therefore, be it

Ordered by the Student Senate of the University of Notre Dame du Lac,

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That the Constitution of the Undergraduate Student Body is hereby amended as follows:

- I. Article II Section 1(e)(2)(D) as written below is hereby inserted and all subsections and references thereof and thereafter are renumbered accordingly:
  - D. Student Union Parliamentarian

It is so ordered.

Saniel Jung

Student Body President

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