

FOLLOWING INTERNAL REVIEW ON BEHALF  
OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONSTITUTION

Hunter Brooke, *Student Union Parliamentarian*  
Koryn Isa, *Judicial Council President*

**AN ORDER TO CLARIFY AND AMEND ARTICLE XII AND XV**

*Whereas*, informed, healthy elections are crucial to a democratic and transparent Student Union;

*Whereas*, throughout this election cycle, the Judicial Council has encountered several potential ambiguities among the electoral regulations outlined in Article XV of the Constitution;

*Whereas*, the Judicial Council has further encountered several gaps, inadequacies, loopholes and potential areas of inflexibility in Article XV of the Constitution, and has accordingly endeavored to carefully develop rules that rectify loopholes, strengthen transparency, and simultaneously ensure a clear and level playing field for all candidates;

*Whereas*, the changes proposed have been thoroughly reviewed and considered by the Judicial Council, which has unequivocally determined that the recommended amendments will clarify and improve electoral processes;

*Whereas*, the Committee on the Constitution decided to divide the question from the original order to ensure focused discussion and debate was had regarding this specific amendment; therefore, be it

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

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

**I. Article XV, Section 1(f)(4) is hereby inserted and all subsections and references thereafter and thereof are renumbered accordingly:**

(4) Individuals outlined in Article XV, Section f(3) of this Constitution may not issue any endorsements during the petitioning phase, and no candidate/ticket shall seek or claim to have received any such endorsement.

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

**That the aforementioned amendment to the *Constitution* shall go into effect on the first date of the 2024-2025 Student Union term, April 1st, 2024.**

It is so ordered.

*Daniel Jung*

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*Student Body President*