BILL #

2015 SPRING SESSION

Legislative Action:
Introduced by: Executive Branch

1st Reading: Referred To: 
2nd Reading: Committee Action: 
3rd Reading: Senate Action: 

Executive Action:
☐ Approved ☐ Vetoed

GPSA President Date

Unsigned by the President on this ____day of _______ 2015. Bill automatically becomes law.

Legislative Response:
Veto override vote taken: Council Action: 

Be it enacted by the Graduate and Professional Student Association at the University of New Mexico that the following be amended in (Article II) of the GPSA Constitution:

President Elect

The President Elect is the candidate elected to the position of GPSA President who has not yet received the oath of office. Duties, Powers, and Responsibilities

1. Commence in the transition between administrations making informal decisions that will go in effect after the Presidential Oath of Office is administered.
   a. The President Elect will at no time be empowered to perform duties above and beyond making informal recommendations
2. Advertise for Chief of Staff, Project Assistants, and Executive Committee Chairs which shall be formally appointed upon taking the Office of President.
3. Review application submissions and conduct interviews for candidate appointments.
4. Utilize GPSA space and resources for scheduling meetings and interviews.
5. Meet with current GPSA President & Staff and strategizing for a smooth transition between administrations.
6. Any other duties or responsibilities of the President, of which the President deems necessary or beneficial for the President Elect.

B. Term of Office
   1. This position shall exist for the duration of time between the election results being certified and deemed official and the time the Presidential Oath of Office is administered.

C. Stipend
1. The President Elect shall not receive compensation until assuming the office of the President.

D. Removal

1. Impeachment and Removal of the President Elect shall be the same as the President.

2. If removal procedures are begun before the Presidential Oath of Office is administered, the oath of office shall be postponed until a decision has been reached.