

1 **COLORADO COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION**
2 **An Amendment to Update CCSGA Election Procedure**

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4 Preamble: WHEREAS The Colorado College Student Government Internal Affairs Committee
5 has utilized a system of electronic voting via email to conduct all recent student government
6 elections,
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8 & WHEREAS The Colorado College Student Government Association Election Committee has
9 hence not needed to offer students paper ballots or operate an election table at which to collect
10 them,
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12 & WHEREAS The Colorado College Student Government Association Internal Affairs
13 Committee also distributes absentee ballots via email,
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15 & WHEREAS The Colorado College Student Government Association Constitution currently
16 states in Section 5.08 that “A request for an absentee ballot must be made to the Chair of the
17 Election Committee at least three days prior to the scheduled election. Absentee ballots must be
18 sealed in an envelope and returned to the Chair before voting begins on Election Day.”,
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20 & WHEREAS The Colorado College Student Government Association Constitution currently
21 states in Section 5.09 that “The Election Committee is responsible for ensuring that during
22 voting hours the election table is staffed by at least two eligible people at all times.”,
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24 SECTION I: The Colorado College Student Government Association Constitution SHALL BE
25 AMENDED TO STRIKE Clause 2 of Section 5.08. The Section shall read as follows:
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27 Section 5.08 A request for an absentee ballot must be made to the Chair of the Election
28 Committee at least three days prior to the scheduled election.
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30 SECTION II: The Colorado College Student Government Association Constitution SHALL BE
31 AMENDED TO STRIKE Section 5.09.
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33 SECTION III: This legislation shall go into effect after passing CCSGA Full Council using
34 proper amendment procedure and after being approved by the President of Colorado College.