WHEREAS, there are many references in these By-Laws to “Article XIII” which currently does not exist. The authors believe “Article XIII” is in reference to Article XII, Active Member Eligibility, Requirements, and Non Discrimination Statement.

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives used to be “Article XII,” making Active Member Eligibility “Article XIII.” When the House of Representatives was removed, Active Member Eligibility took its place as the current Article XII.

WHEREAS, while all mention of the House of Representatives has been removed, the references to “Article XIII” were left uncorrected.

LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT, The following changes be made to the UNT SGA By-Laws:

Article V, Section 2, Subsection E:
The Election Board shall have the power to rule on matters pertaining to Elections, including but not limited to: interpretations and violations of the Election Code, questions of candidate eligibility not covered in Article XIII Article XII Section 1.A of these Bylaws, candidate and Referendum Party complaints and concerns, questions of referendum eligibility, filing dates and deadlines, and the certification of any election results.

Article V, Section 2, Subsection F:
Election Board members must meet the active member eligibility requirements as stated in Article XIII Article XII of these Bylaws. No member of the Election Board shall be an active member of any branch of SGA or the Freshman Intern program, nor an elective candidate, while serving on the Election Board.

Article V, Section 4, Subsection A:
To be eligible for candidacy, an individual must meet active member eligibility requirements as stated in the SGA Constitution and Article XIII Article XII. Section 1. of these Bylaws. An individual must meet these requirements prior to the beginning of campaigning. These requirements shall only be confirmed by the SGA Advisor.

Article V, Section 4, Subsection D, b:
If elected, write-in candidates shall be accepted provided they meet the active member eligibility requirements as stated in the SGA Constitution and Article XIII, Article XII, Section 4 of these Bylaws. These requirements will be confirmed by the SGA Advisor.

Respectfully Submitted,
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In Witness thereof, I hereby certify the Student Senate of the University of North Texas Student Government Association has approved this document and is referred to the office of the President.

Speaker of the Senate

Presidential Action:
☐ Vetoed
☐ Approved

President of the Student Government Association

Vice President of Student Affairs

4/5/18
Date

4/9/2018
Date

4.11.2018
Date