WHEREAS, Article IV Section 1 of the UNT SGA ByLaws discusses the rules and structures of the Supreme Court.

WHEREAS, The current method of submitting a case and the parties allowed to submit a case are convoluted and unclear, allowing for potential conflict or hesitancy to submit a case against the SGA President or Vice President.

WHEREAS, The Student Government Association should strive to break down any barrier of engagement with the student body and provide clear processes for participation in the SGA.

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

Article IV: Rules on the Judicial Branch

Section 1: Supreme Court Hearings

A) A case may be submitted to the Supreme Court by any member of the SGA. Members of the SGA include all students, undergraduate student at UNT.

B) To submit a case, a case brief must be submitted to the SGA President. If the President is unavailable, then the brief must be submitted to the Vice President or SGA Advisor, Chief Justice via a form entitled “Supreme Court Case Brief Submission” available on UNT’s online student organization portal. The brief must include what party the case is against, the issue to be decided, a detailed explanation of the case, any relevant background information, a list of witnesses and any evidence to be presented.

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED, That the current SGA President creates the Supreme Court Case Brief Submission form by April 1, 2020 and that every preceding SGA President will be responsible for creating the Supreme Court Case Brief Submission form within their first week of assuming office.

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.

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*Speaker of the Senate*

**Presidential Action:**
- [ ] Vetoed
- [x] Approved

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*President of the Student Government Association*

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*Vice President of Student Affairs*