

STUDENT SENATE BILL 2025-1005

TITLE: Innovation Academy Temporary Representation Act

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SPONSORS:

CHAPTER 309 SUBSTANTIVE PROVISIONS - UF STUDENT SENATE (87-129, 90-151, 94- 113, 94-114, 98-100, 98-113, 98-119, 98-122, 2000-120, 2000-136, 2007-143, 2008-130, 2015- 101, 2015-109, 2023-142, 2023-153)

309.22 Any Student Senator may appoint a temporary replacement, as follows:

1. Pursuant to Article III, Section 4 of the Student Body Constitution, any Student Senator may appoint a temporary replacement for the Summer Term as defined in 309.2 by submitting an eligible student's name to the Senate President Pro-Tempore two weeks prior to the last regular Spring Semester meeting. This temporary replacement may serve only during the Summer Term or a designated portion of the Summer Term. The summer replacement senator shall be confirmed on or before the first day of May.
2. If a Student Senator fails to notify the Senate President Pro-Tempore of a summer replacement and is not able to serve for the Summer Term, that summer replacement seat shall be declared vacant for the Summer Term.
3. If a Permanent Senator is approved during the Summer Term but unable to serve during the Summer Term, they will have 7 days after their approval to notify the Senate President Pro-Tempore, otherwise the summer replacement seat shall be declared vacant.
- ~~4. Any Student Senator, who is in the Innovation Academy program, may appoint a temporary replacement for the Fall Semester as defined in 309.2 by submitting an eligible student's name to the Student Senate President Pro-Tempore two weeks prior to the last regular Summer Term meeting. This temporary replacement may serve only during the Fall Semester. A Student Senator, who is in the Innovation Academy program, cannot appoint a temporary replacement for the Summer Term.~~

- 309.23 The Summer Student Senate, consisting of those duly elected & appointed members of the Student Senate attending the Summer Term shall retain and may exercise, full legislative powers in the same manner as the normal Fall and Spring Senate Terms.
- 309.24 Replacements must take at least one (1) credit over the course of the Summer C term ~~(Innovation Academy students notwithstanding)~~ in order to be considered eligible.
- 309.241 Graduate and professional students who completed the Spring Semester as a registered full time student directly prior to the Summer term in question ~~(Innovation Academy students notwithstanding)~~ shall be exempt from 309.24. This student must be registered for the Fall Semester directly following the Summer term in order to be eligible for this exemption.