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#### Fall 2023 New Organization and Emergency Funding "Set-Asides"

#### Resolution No. 001

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Tylenda, Meg M.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this Resolution is to set aside a set amount of funding for new organizations created after the September 10, 2023, budget meeting, and to set aside a sum of money that organizations may request to access for appeals and emergency funding if deemed necessary.

#### **RESOLUTION TEXT:**

WHEREAS, all requests for funding for the Fall 2023 semester need have been submitted by August 27, 2023, by 11:59 PM;

WHEREAS, the Budget Meeting for Fall 2023 is set for September 10, 2023, [hereinafter "Budget Meeting"];

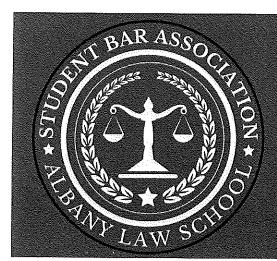
WHEREAS, all funding allocations will be determined at the Budget Meeting for the fall semester;

WHEREAS, student groups formed after the Budget Meeting should have access to funding for General Interest Meetings, groups should be able to request emergency funding in extenuating circumstances, and existing groups must be able to participate in the appeals process per Bylaw Ten Eleven § 3;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Senate set aside funding for up to six (6) new student groups to receive funding for General Interest Meetings, for a total of \$390.00, on a first-comefirst-serve basis, and a total of \$2,000.00 be set aside for appeals and emergency funding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That any unused funds be returned to the budget at the conclusion of the Fall 2023 Semester.

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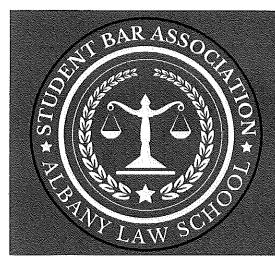
SENATE VOTE: 19 - 0 - 5

OUTCOME [PASSED FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/2003

We, the undersigned, affirm that this is a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the Student Bar Association Senate.

Max Sevor, Executive President



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#### Strategic Plan of Student Bar Association 2023-2024

#### Resolution No. 002

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

#### COSPONSORS:

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to proclaim Attachment A as the official mission, purpose, policy, and objectives of the Student Bar Association for the Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 semesters.

#### RESOLUTION TEXT:

WHEREAS, strategic planning and goal setting is critical to the success of any professional organization.

WHEREAS, the Student Bar Association is in need of a plan to further its purpose and mission to the Albany Law School community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Attachment A shall serve as the Strategic Plan for the 2023 to 2024 Academic Year of the Student Bar Association.

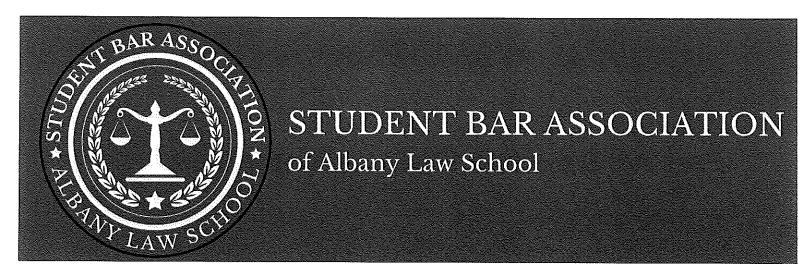
BE IT RESOLVED, the Student Bar Association shall adhere to the tenets of the plan to furthest extent possible in all of its programs, events, and initiatives for Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 semesters.

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SENATE VOTE: 16-1-7

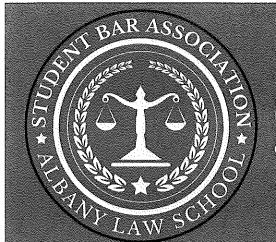
OUTCOME: (PASSED) FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/2023



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Max Sevor, Executive President



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#### Approval of The Bell Collective's Constitution Fall 2023

Bill No. 002

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 1, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS:

PURPOSE: The purpose of this bill is to approve The Bell Collective's Constitution and correct the error's of last year's Student Bar Association

BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – Attachment A, entitled "The Bell Collective: For Critical Race Theory," shall serve as the official Constitution, Charter, and Bylaws, for the SBA-Chartered Entity known as The Bell Collective.

Section 2 – The Executive Secretary shall transmit an electronic copy of this bill to the Associate Dean of Student Affairs and the Director of Academic and Student Programs.

Section 3 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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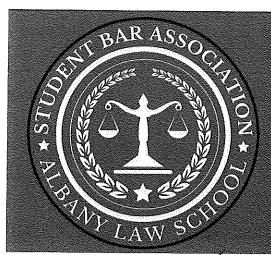
SENATE VOTE: 19-1-4

OUTCOME [PASSED/FAILED/TABLED]

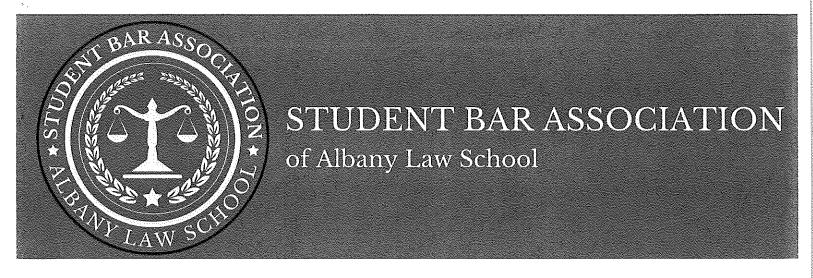
DATE: August 28, 2023

We, the undersigned, affirm that this is a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the Student Bar Association Senate.

Max Sevor, Executive President



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#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the American Constitution Society Charter

Bill No. 003

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

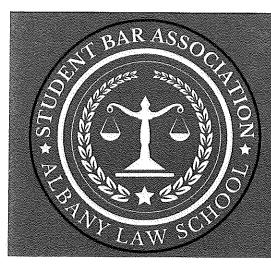
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an end-of-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds; suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from American Constitution Society by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for American Constitution Society to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### **BILL TEXT:**

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as American Constitution Society shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The American Constitution Society shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The American Constitution Society may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the American Constitution Society reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the American Constitution Society to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



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and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the American Constitution Society who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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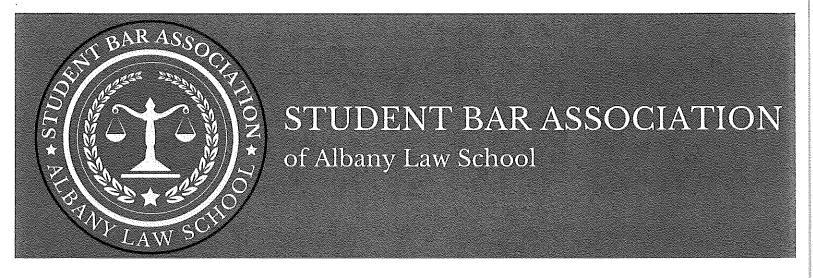
SENATE VOTE: 19 - 1 - 3

OUTCOME: [VASSED)FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/2003

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Max Sevor, Executive President



#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative Charter

Bill No. 004

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

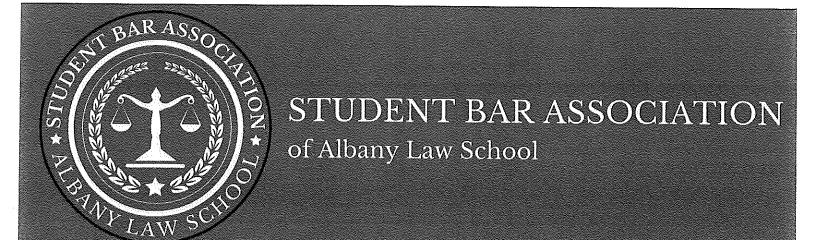
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an end-of-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds; suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the Albany Law Grammar Club Initiative who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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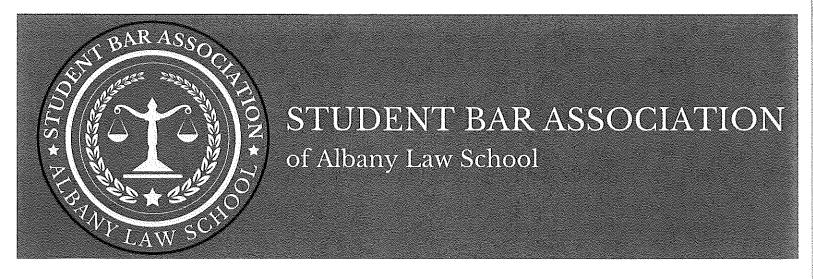
SENATE VOTE: 18 - 0 - 6

OUTCOME [PASSED/FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/2023

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Max Seyor, Executive President



#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the Albany Law Literary Circle Charter

Bill No. 005

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

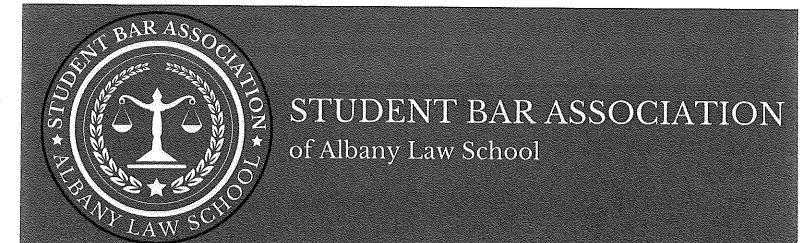
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an end-of-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds; suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from Albany Law Literary Circle by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for Albany Law Literary Circle to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### **BILL TEXT:**

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as Albany Law Literary Circle shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The Albany Law Literary Circle shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The Albany Law Literary Circle may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the Albany Law Literary Circle reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the Albany Law Literary Circle to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the Albany Law Literary Circle who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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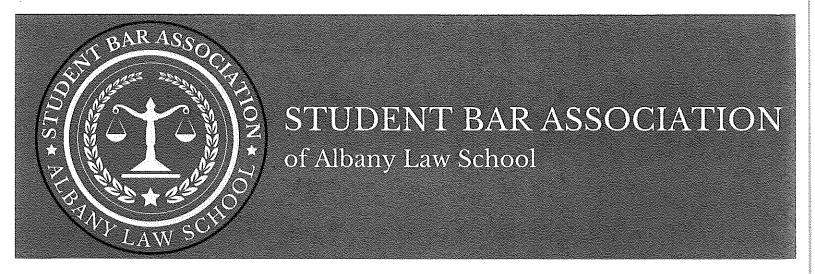
SENATE VOTE: 18-0-6

OUTCOME: PASSED/BAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/0023

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Max Sevor, Executive President



#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the Gaelic Law Society Charter

Bill No. 006

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

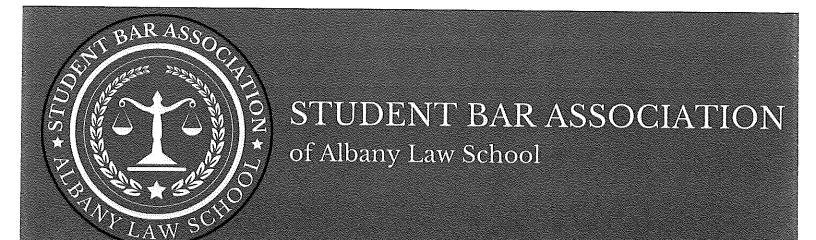
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an end-of-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds; suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from Gaelic Law Society by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for Gaelic Law Society to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as Gaelic Law Society shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The Gaelic Law Society shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The Gaelic Law Society may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the Gaelic Law Society reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the Gaelic Law Society to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the Gaelic Law Society who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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SENATE VOTE:

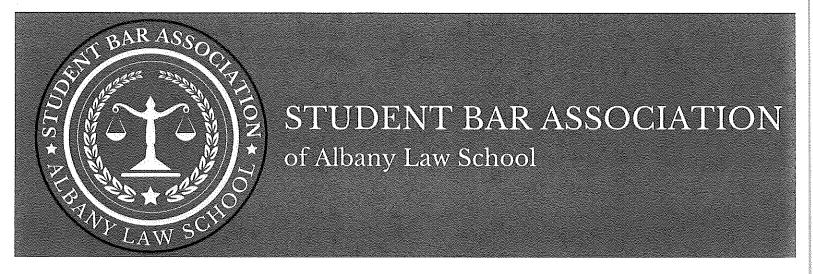
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OUTCOME: [PASSED/FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9/5/2003

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Max Sevor, Executive President



#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the Orthodox Christian Law Society Charter

Bill No. 007

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

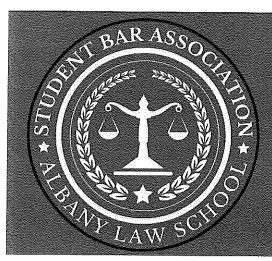
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an endof-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar
Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through
sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds;
suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's
charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from Orthodox Christian
Law Society by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill
balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for Orthodox
Christian Law Society to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### **BILL TEXT:**

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as Orthodox Christian Law Society shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The Orthodox Christian Law Society shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The Orthodox Christian Law Society may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the Orthodox Christian Law Society reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the Orthodox Christian Law Society to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



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and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the Orthodox Christian Law Society who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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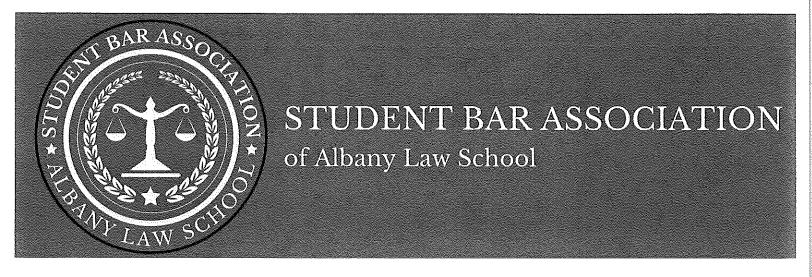
SENATE VOTE: 18-0-6

OUTCOME: [ASSED]FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9-5-2023

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Max Sevor, Exegutive President-



#### Fall 2023 Suspension of the Sports and Entertainment Law Society Charter

Bill No. 008

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS: Tylenda, Meg M.; Henrichs, Ashlyn N.

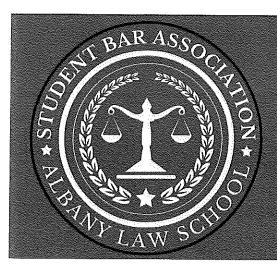
PURPOSE: Per SBA Bylaw § 6, all SBA-Chartered Organizations are required to submit an end-of-year report by the end of the spring semester. SBA Bylaw § 6(h) tasks the Student Bar Association with enforcing reporting requirements for all SBA-Chartered Organizations through sanctions. Those sanctions include, but are not limited to, revocation of all or part of SBA funds; suspension of the organization's charter or events; or complete revocation of the organization's charter. Student Bar Association never received an end-of-year report from Sports and Entertainment Law Society by either the May 17, 2023, deadline or the June 2, 2023, deadline. This bill balances the need to enforce the SBA Bylaws and includes a fair opportunity for Sports and Entertainment Law Society to reestablish itself as a successful SBA-Chartered Organization.

#### BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – Pursuant Bylaw Eight § 6(h), the charter, constitution, and/or bylaws of the SBA-Chartered Organization known as Sports and Entertainment Law Society shall be suspended indefinitely and the organization shall no longer be recognized by the Student Bar Association.

Section 2 – The Sports and Entertainment Law Society shall be ineligible to obtain funding from the Student Bar Association through the process outlined in Bylaw Ten for the length of suspension.

Section 3 – The Sports and Entertainment Law Society may remove its suspension and become recognized again by reestablishing itself as an SBA-Chartered Organization following the process specified in Bylaw Eight. If the Sports and Entertainment Law Society reestablishes itself as a recognized, SBA-Chartered Organization, nothing herein shall prevent the ability of the Sports and Entertainment Law Society to receive appropriations by the Student Bar Association should the budget process specified in Bylaw Ten have elapsed for the semester.



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and, if reasonably possible, to any known and notable members of the Sports and Entertainment Law Society who are currently enrolled at Albany Law School.

Section 5 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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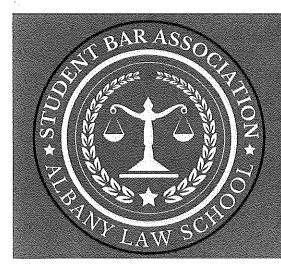
SENATE VOTE: 18-0-6

OUTCOME: (PASSED) FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: 9-5-2023

We, the undersigned, affirm that this is a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the Student Bar Association Senate.

Max Sevor, Executive, President



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#### Approval of Student Wellness Society ("SWELL") Bill No. 009

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Henrichs, Ashlyn

#### COSPONSORS:

PURPOSE: The purpose of this bill is to approve the Student Wellness Society ("SWELL") as an SBA-Chartered Entity.

#### BILL TEXT:

Section 1 - Attachment A, entitled "Student Wellness Society (SWELL) Charter," shall serve as the official Constitution, Charter, and Bylaws, for the SBA-Chartered Entity known as SWELL.

Section 2 - The entity known as SWELL shall be recognized an SBA-Charted Entity indefinitely.

Section 3 – The Executive Secretary shall transmit an electronic copy of this bill to the Associate Dean of Student Affairs and the Director of Academic and Student Programs.

Section 4 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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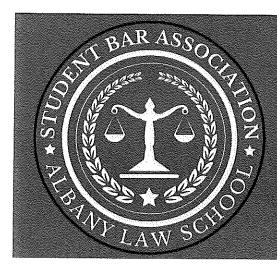
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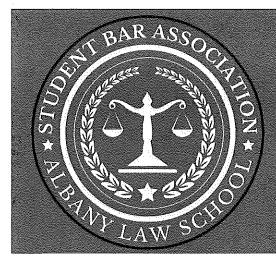
DATE: September 5, 2023

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#### **Student Bar Association Meeting Time for Fall 2023**

Bill No. 010

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Sevor, Max A.

COSPONSORS:

PURPOSE: The purpose of this bill is to select meeting dates and times for Fall 2023.

BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – Pursuant to Article I of the Student Bar Association Constitution, the following date and time will constitute the biweekly meeting of the Student Bar Association Senate for the Fall 2023 semester.

#### WEDNESDAY AT 7:30PM in ROOM 200

Section 2 – The Executive Secretary shall transmit an electronic copy of this bill to the Associate Dean of Student Affairs.

Section 3 – The Executive President is directed to make all arrangements reasonably necessary to effectuate the intent and purpose of this bill.

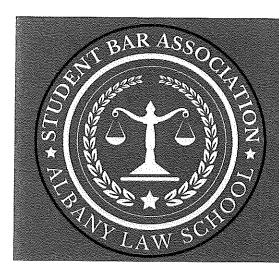
Section 4 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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SENATE VOTE: 17-2-5

OUTCOME: [PASSED/FAILED/TABLED]

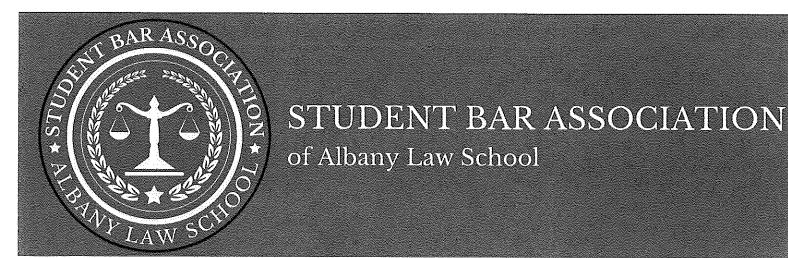
DATE: August 28, 2023



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Max Sevor, Executive President



#### **Appointment of Student Bar Association Finance Committee Fall 2023**

Bill No. 011

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: September 5, 2023

SPONSOR: Jacobs, Noah S.

COSPONSORS:

PURPOSE: The purpose of this bill is to appoint Senators and Representatives to the Finance

Committee.

BILL TEXT:

Section 1 – By the authority vested in Article IV of the Student Bar Association Constitution, the Albany Law School students listed in this section shall be appointed to the Student Bar Association Finance Committee for the 2023–2024 academic year:

Meg Tylenda, Chair

Nicholas Discala

Alexander Fakhouri

**Madeleine Jones** 

Azad Kurd

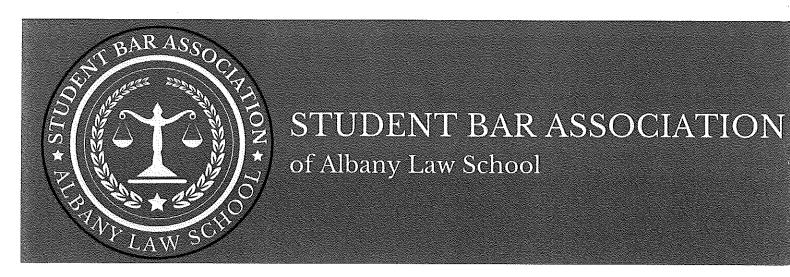
Section 2 – This act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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SENATE VOTE: 16-0-6

OUTCOME (PASSED) FAILED/TABLED]

DATE: August 28, 2023



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Max Sevor, Executive President