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11	Senator Grant moved the following amendment:		
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)		
14	On page 6, between lines 24 and 25,		
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16	insert:		
17	Section 3. Section 240.136, Florida Statutes, is		
18	created to read:		
19	<u>240.136 Suspension and removal from office of elected</u>		
20	<u>student government officials; referendum.--Each state</u>		
21	<u>university and community college student government</u>		
22	<u>association shall establish a process within 60 days after</u>		
23	<u>this act becomes law to provide for the removal from office of</u>		
24	<u>any elected student government official who has been convicted</u>		
25	<u>of a violation of criminal law or has been found civilly</u>		
26	<u>liable for an act of moral turpitude, after all available</u>		
27	<u>rights of judicial appeal have been exercised or waived or</u>		
28	<u>have expired. The process must include a procedure for the</u>		
29	<u>immediate suspension of the student government official from</u>		
30	<u>elective office following the conviction or civil finding and</u>		
31	<u>during any appeal, and must provide for the temporary</u>		

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1 successor to the office pending completion of any appeal. The
 2 process must also include a procedure for registered students
 3 to petition for a referendum recommending to the student
 4 government association the removal of the student official
 5 from elective office. The referendum must be held within 60
 6 days after the filing of the petition. The recommendation to
 7 remove the official from elective office must be made by
 8 majority vote of the students participating in the referendum.
 9 The action of the student government association under this
 10 section shall be subject to an appeal to the university
 11 president or his or her designee.

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 13 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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17 And the title is amended as follows:

18 On page 1, line 10, after the semicolon

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 20 insert:

21 creating s. 240.136, F.S.; requiring the
 22 establishment of a process for the suspension
 23 and removal of elected student government
 24 officials under specified circumstances;

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