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Whereas: the SGA should act decisively, effectively and quickly,

Whereas: Issues have arisen in the recent past where small amounts of funding have been required for the orderly execution of either legislation or executive action, but there is no constitutionally accepted avenue for these funds to be disbursed.

Whereas: the SGA should allow itself some logistical dexterity and avoid overly time consuming legislative procedure given certain conditions which require expedient action.

Be it Hereby Resolved, The Student Government Association of Rollins College will:

- (1) This bill will make the following changes to the Constitution of SGA
 - a. Article VII, Section I, B: Subsection I: iv: Will have access to an Executive Discretionary Fund of the amount of \$200 for the entire academic year. This amount may be “refilled” at the start of the semester through legislation of the senate. The “balance” of the account shall never exceed \$200.
- (2) Allot the amount of \$200 the Executive Discretionary account.
- (3) The purpose of this account is to serve the needs of the Executive, therefore any Executive officer may petition the President for use of this fund.
- (4) Any amounts withdrawn from this fund shall be reported by the President to the Senate at the senate meeting immediately following the withdrawal.
- (5) Per the rules of Constitutional Amendments this legislation will be passed by 2/3 majority

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(6) Due to the importance of the change to Executive Power the Authors believe that this Amendment requires a “roll call” vote for passage.