

Appeal- Ignite Party

- 1.) We are the Ignite Party

- 2.) The decision to dismiss the Ignite Party's candidates.

- 3.) The Ignite Party filed a final expense statement within the specified deadline. This statement did contain errors. The election commission claimed that the errors in our final expense statement were grounds for disqualification of the party. Statutes do not specify what is to happen in the case of a final expense report that contains such errors. Pursuant to Florida Statutes, which must be adhered to before FSU SGA Statutes, chapter 106.07 2(b) 1." Any report that is deemed to be incomplete by the officer with whom the candidate qualifies shall be accepted on a conditional basis. The campaign treasurer shall be notified by certified mail or by another method using a common carrier that provides a proof of delivery of the notice as to why the report is incomplete and within 7 days after receipt of such notice must file an addendum to the report providing all information necessary to complete the report in compliance with this section. Failure to file a complete report after such notice constitutes a violation of this chapter." The Ignite Party was notified by the supervisor of elections after the filing deadline, and she stated that our expense statement was incomplete. We demand that the precedent be looked at for all previous submissions of the expense reports from other parties and ignite for the last four semesters. We did submit our report on good faith and without ill intent.

- 4.) The Ignite Party demands that the findings of the elections commission be struck down and that the fair student wide elections that took place on February 8th 2012 be upheld.