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**The bilayer ruthenate  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_6$  an hypothetical electrically anisotropic compound**<sup>1</sup> PABLO DE LA MORA, SABINA RUIZ-CHAVARRIA, JUAN RAMIREZ, Facultad de Ciencias, OLIVER MARTINEZ, GUSTAVO TAVIZON, Facultad de Quimica, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico. Cd. Universitaria — The bilayer ruthenate  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_7$  depending on its preparation it can be ferromagnetic or paramagnetic. In this study the hypothetical compound;  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_6$  is studied with quantum-mechanical calculations using the WIEN2k package. This compound is obtained from  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_7$  by removing an oxygen atom, then the unit cell is relaxed both in its internal atom positions and the cell dimensions. Before relaxation  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_6$  is weakly ferromagnetic, while after relaxation it becomes strongly antiferromagnetic. The parent compound,  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_7$ , is electrically anisotropic, conducting mainly in the ab plane and  $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_6$  is much more anisotropic. The electronic structure and magnetic calculations will be presented

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