

University of Central Oklahoma Student Congress
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AS INTRODUCED

An act amending the Congressional Bylaws of the UCO Student Association to require bifurcation of financial appropriations to different organizations in congressional legislation; providing codification, and providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, The UCOSA Ways and Means committee exists to address all matters concerning the expenditure or appropriation of student funds; and

WHEREAS, Aside from their Annual Budget, the Ways and Means committee passes numerous pieces of legislation throughout the year to allocate additional funds to organizations; and

WHEREAS, Including multiple appropriations of funds in a single piece of legislation disallows Senators to have the ability to vote on individual allocations; and

WHEREAS, Bifurcating financial appropriations by organization will provide further transparency for the votes of UCOSA Senators; now therefore

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UCO STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Section 1. This act shall be known as the Appropriation Bifurcation Act

Section 2. A new section shall be added to Chapter Seven of the UCO Student Association Congressional Bylaws, to read as follows:

VIII. Financial Resolutions passed by the Ways and Means committee providing for Sponsorship Funding shall be bifurcated between organizations, providing funds to no more than one organization per financial resolution.

Reviewing Committee(s):

Accountability, Reform, and Transparency

Committee Recommendation:

DO PASS

Action Taken by Congress:

[PASSED / FAILED]

Beyonce Hammond, Chair of the UCO Student Congress

Date

Josh Chao, President of the UCO Student Association

Date

Legislative Override:

[OVERRIDDEN / NOT OVERRIDDEN / POCKET APPROVAL]