THE SIXTY SEVENTH STUDENT SENATE

Bill 29

Sponsored by: Senator Moorhead

A revision to the Student Body Statutes

BE IT ENACTED BY THE SIXTH SEVENTH STUDENT SENATE THAT:

A revision is made to the Student Body Statutes Chapter 800. (See attached).

The purpose of this revision is to update the Finance Code, switching Finance to Budget and vice versa and including Judiciary Committee in the Finance Code.

OFFICIAL:  

PASSED: 8th of April, 2015

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A bill to be entitled. An Act

IN THE SENATE

A revision to the Student Body Statutes Chapter 800, the Finance Code to switch the Budget and Finance Committees duties and including Judiciary Committee in the Finance.

Read 1st Time 3-25-15
Read 2nd Time 4-8-15
Read 3rd Time

with _____ For, and _____ Against

Introduced by Senator(s) Moorhead
and sponsored by Senator(s) Moorhead

Referred to Committee on 3-25-15

Voted For _____ X _____ Against ___________

Report: Favorable Unfavorable

With Amendments Substitute
Without Recommendation

Date

CERTIFIED TO THE STUDENT BODY

President of the Senate Date

Program Assistant of the Senate Date

President of the Student Body Date

Vice President for Student Affairs Date
803.5 The OPS Wages Category

The OPS Wages category shall be used to fund wages for elected and appointed student positions. All OPS paid positions shall be held by persons currently enrolled at FSU, unless otherwise specified in these Statutes.

A. Wages may only be drawn from this account in the manner explicitly stated by Senate in the proviso language at the annual budget (or the Sweepings or Central Reserves proviso). Money may not be redistributed within the category except as stipulated in 803.5 B.

B. Changes in the manner in which an SGA-funded entity distributes its wages (i.e., creating or removing an OPS paid position, increasing or decreasing the hours/week of a current OPS paid position, or increasing/decreasing the hourly wage of an OPS paid position) must be approved by the Senate through resolution. This resolution must first be referred to, and pass by majority vote, the Senate Finance Budget committee.

807.5 Recognized Student Organization Funding Process

A. Recognized Student Organizations (RSOs) cannot request or receive funds in the areas of contractual services, expense, events, clothing, awards, travel, organization materials, lodging or registration from the College Leadership Council.

807.6 RTAC and PAC Guidelines

A. PAC Guidelines

3. The Budget Finance Committee Chair may appoint an Ex-officio member to PAC.

17. The information obtained at the PAC meeting will be compiled into a resolution by the committee Chairperson. This resolution will be presented at the next possible Budget Finance Committee meeting and shall only be debated on if there are objections. The sponsor of the resolution shall forward the resolution to the Student Government Webmaster. If no objections are entertained, the resolution shall be forwarded to the Senate and placed on the Consent Calendar.
18. Once on the Consent Calendar, the PAC resolution shall be presented to the Student Senate. Debate on the resolution will only be heard upon an objection to the resolution. In order for an amendment to pass in the Budget Finance Committee or Senate, there must be a 2/3 vote. 

   a. A one-tenth (1/10) vote is required for an objection to be upheld.
   b. If a one-tenth (1/10) vote of Senate is not reached after an objection to the Consent Calendar, then the resolution shall pass as presented.

B. RTAC Guidelines

4. The Budget Finance Committee Chair may appoint an Ex-officio member to RTAC.

15. The information obtained at the RTAC meeting will be compiled into a resolution by the committee’s Chair. This resolution will be presented at the next possible Budget Finance Committee meeting and shall only be debated on if there are objections. The sponsor of the resolution shall forward the resolution to the Student Government Webmaster. If no objections are entertained, the resolution shall be forwarded to the Senate and placed on the Consent Calendar.

16. Once on the Consent Calendar, the RTAC resolution shall be presented to the Student Senate. Debate on the resolution will only be heard upon an objection to the resolution. In order for an amendment to pass in the Budget Finance Committee or Senate, there must be a 2/3 vote. 

   a. A one-tenth (1/10) vote is required for an objection to be upheld.
   b. If a one-tenth (1/10) vote of Senate is not reached after an objection to the Consent Calendar, then the resolution shall pass as presented.