REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Akinfaderin, Boler, Clay, Hall, Halperin, Huard, Lee, Leslie, Luttrell, Marryshow, Misrahi, Nilson, Pratt, Strazzo, Ward, Williams

QUORUM: Yes

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Luttrell

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, UNEXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, EXCUSED: Adolphson, Vakil

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, UNEXCUSED: Assidon, Behuniak, Greinke,Proia, Raleigh, Syme

REPRESENTATIVES LATE, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LATE, UNEXCUSED: NONE

PETITIONS INTO THE ASSEMBLY: Deborah Daramola


SPECIAL INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: NONE

STUDENT COMMENTS: NONE

MESSAGES FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT: NONE

Funding Requests:

- Resolution 7 Sponsored by C-SAC: An Allocation to the Hispanic Graduate Student Association
  Deputy Speaker Williams explains to the Congress that the new organization is planning their first event which will be a meet and greet to network and expand their organization. They are requesting funding for printing paper in order to get flyers and posters printed from Student Publications as well as food for roughly 80 guests. Resolution 7 passes.

  Representative Clay moves to waive the rules to hear a Bill for funding the Applied Sport Psychology program. Leslie Second.

- Bill 23: An Allocation to Applied Sport Psychology
  The organization is requesting funds to visit IMG Academy on April 24-25, 2014. The academy offers training for multiple sport programs. The organization would like to visit the Academy to learn from mental performance coaches with experience in a professional setting. The Congress inquires if the organization has set scheduled the event with the Academy and if they had an itinerary for their day long trip. Deputy Speaker Nilson moves to fully fund the organization.
Luttrell Second. Objection Deputy Speaker Williams. **FIRST PRO:** Williams likes the Bill, but is not sure if the bill qualifies for funding due to the COGS Code guidelines. The representative believes that COGS can fund the organization under the academic conference grant idea. Speaker Boler explains to the Congress that they fund organizations for various workshops and programs. **FIRST CON:** Deputy Speaker Leslie believes that the Congress should investigate the precedence that they may be setting by allowing funding for self-organized outings. **SECOND PRO:** Misrahi believes that other groups have been funded under similar circumstances. Akinfaderin believes that the idea behind the organization’s request mimics the academic support idea. **Bill 23 Passes 13-0-3.**

**New Business:**

- **Bill 22** Sponsored by Representative Hall and the Ways and Means Committee: *Grammatical and Technical Edits of the COGS Code Part II: Chapters 112-200*
  Representative Hall explains that the edits are a continuation of attempting to adapt a uniform language in the COGS Code. **Bill 22 passes.**

- **Resolution 8** Sponsored by Speaker Boler: *Proclaiming Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week at Florida State University*
  Speaker Boler would like to recognize graduate student excellence at Florida State University since it has not been recognized by the Governor locally, but it is recognized on a national level. **Accepted by acclamation.**

- **Resolution 9** Sponsored by Speaker Boler: *Recognition of Barbara Speck*
  Speaker Boler explains that the Resolution is to thank Mrs. Speck for the work she has done to help COGS for the past nine years. **Resolution 9 passes by acclamation.**

**ROUNDTABLE:** Akinfaderin, Boler, Clay, Daramola, Hall, Halperin, Huard, Lee, Leslie, Luttrell, Marryshow, Misrahi, Nilson, Pratt, Strazzo, Ward, Williams

**ADJOURNMENT:** 7:59 p.m.