IN THE STUDENT CONGRESS
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

SCB-94-121

A BILL TO PRESERVE ORDER DURING CONGRESSIONAL MEETINGS

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WHEREAS, order is imperative to maintain the efficiency of congressional meetings and respect among all attendees;

WHEREAS, the Speaker and Sergeant-at-arms are the only officer and non-officer positions tasked with maintaining order during congressional meetings;

WHEREAS, Title II, Chapter 1, Article III, Sec 121, Part D; defines the duties of the Sergeant-at-arms as “...who shall assist the Speaker in preserving order in the chamber during meetings and explain expectations of order to visitors and members.”

WHEREAS, there is no other position besides the Speaker, tasked with preserving order in the event of the absence of the Sergeant-at-arms;

WHEREAS, the Ethics Chair is the next best officer to have the duty of working with the speaker to “preserv[e] order in the chamber during meetings and explain expectations of order to visitors and members.”

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL THAT:

Title II, Chapter 1, Article III, Sec 121, Part D is amended to read:

Section 121. Duties
A. Parliamentarian. The Parliamentarian(s) shall advise Congress on matters of Congressional Procedure and the procedures and rules set forth by the Student Code.
B. Clerk. The Clerk(s) shall:
1. Maintain an accurate record of all legislation and amendments thereto;
2. Make such corrections to legislation as are necessary to maintain proper spelling, grammar, and the format as verified by the Speaker.
C. Webmaster. The Webmaster(s) shall be responsible for the maintenance of the Student Congress website.

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D. Sergeant-at-Arms. Congress may elect from its membership a Sergeant-at-Arms, who shall assist the Speaker in preserving order in the chamber during meetings and explain expectations of order to visitors and members.

1. In the event that the Sergeant-at-Arms is absent, the duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms will fall to the Ethics Chair.

This bill will take effect immediately after made law.

Done by the Student Congress on this 10th day of October, 2013

Paige Comparato,
Speaker, 94th Student Congress

And made law on this 22nd day of October, 2013

Will Leinenstoll,
Student Body President

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