A BILL

To require Undergraduate Senate outreach to organizations on East Carolina University’s campus in an effort to be held accountable to, increase dialogue with, and gauge ideas from the Student Body.

Sponsored by: Senator Caldwell
First Reading: 10/06/2014
Referred to: Student Welfare
Second Reading: 10/20/2014

Be it enacted by the Undergraduate Senate of the East Carolina University Student Government Association,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This bill may be cited as “The 2014-2015 Undergraduate Senate Organization Outreach Act”

SECTION 2. OUTREACH MEASURES

WHEREAS, the ECU Student Body deserves visible, accountable, and equal representation from their SGA officers; and,

WHEREAS, the concerns and general well-being of the Student Body is of foremost importance to the Undergraduate Senate; and,

WHEREAS, Article V, Section IX, Subsection 11 states that the powers of the SGA Undergraduate Senate shall be to, “Enact all laws necessary and proper for the general well-being of the Student Body”; now, therefore, be it

ENACTED, all Legislative Branch Standing Committees, to include Appropriations, Rules & Judiciary, Student Welfare, University Affairs, and Community Affairs, shall be mandated to attend at least six different ECU organizations’ meetings each until April 28, 2015. Topics of dialogue include, but are not limited to, the role of the SGA Senate, the role of the respective committee, what is occurring within the
Senate and the respective committee, suggestions and ideas from students, and a
question and answer session; and, be it further

ENACTED, the Speaker of the Undergraduate Senate shall assign participating ECU
organizations to respective committees. If no pending legislation is before a
committee, the respective committee chair shall have the authority to count the
organization outreach as the weekly committee meeting. The Senate Attendance
Policy remains in effect for organization outreach; and, be it further

ENACTED, the Speaker of the Undergraduate Senate shall personally reach out to ECU
organizations to request their willing participation. Organizations wishing to have
SGA Senators speak at their meetings may contact the Speaker of the
Undergraduate Senate.

SECTION 3. DATE EFFECTIVE.

This Act shall be effective upon its signing by the President of the Student Body.