Senate Bill

To: The Student Senate of the University of North Dakota

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Re: UPC Constitution Change

Whereas, there is a need to increase communication, unity, and transparency between the University Programming Council (UPC), Student Organization Funding Agency (SOFA), Executives and Student Senators, and

Whereas, SB1415-02 establishes the UPC Chair as a member of the Executive branch of Student Government, and

Whereas, the SOFA Chair is already a member of the Executive branch, and

Whereas, the other Executive Officers appointed by the Student Body President receive $2,000.00 scholarships, and

Whereas, the SOFA Vice-Chair position is not an Executive position, but has traditionally received a scholarship award of 50% of the SOFA Chair position, and

Whereas, the UPC Vice-Chair position currently receives an annual award of $1,000.00 for the academic year, and

Therefore, be it moved that the following Student Government Scholarship changes be made.

SOFA Chair: Increase of $800.00 to an annual award of $2000.00

SOFA Vice-Chair: Increase of $400 to an annual award of $1000.00.

UPC Chair: Increase of $500 to an annual award of $2000.00.

Student Body President, Tanner Franklin