Senate Bill

To: The Student Senate of the University of North Dakota

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Re: Bylaw Updates

Whereas, the current section in the Bylaws pertaining to NDSA is outdated, and

2 Whereas, the current Bylaw section on NDSA does not provide enough flexibility to bring students into the delegation, and

4 Whereas, NDSA is a great way for students to be involved at the state level and to grow as student leaders, and

6 Whereas, this section should be updated to increase flexibility and the ability of students to become involved with NDSA, and

8 Therefore, be it moved that UND Student Government adopt the attached changes to the Student Government Bylaws, and

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Erik Hanson, Student Body President
7.2. The term of office for ex-officio University Senators shall be for the duration of their corresponding position in Student Government.

**ARTICLE VIII NORTH DAKOTA STUDENT ASSOCIATION**

1. The Student Body President shall appoint a head delegate to represent UND at the North Dakota Student Association and their responsibilities shall include:
   a. Appointing voting and alternative delegates to attend general assembly meetings of NDSAA.
   b. Organizing travel to and from meetings.
   c. Organizing the hosting of the NDSAA meeting at UND.
   d. All of these duties shall be accomplished with the approval of the Student Body President and the Student Body President holds the power to remove the head delegate.

2. Priority for Voting Delegate positions shall be given to Student Senators and Student Government Executives. Any remaining Voting Delegate positions may be filled by an at-large student.

3. Voting Delegates are expected to attend all NDSAA meetings.

4. Alternate Voting Delegates will take the place of a Voting Delegate in his/her absence.

**ARTICLE IX POLICIES**

1. All members of UND Student Government must adhere to the guidelines, principles, and stipulations set forth in the UND Student Government Constitution and these Bylaws. Failure to do so may result in disciplinary procedures as outlined in Section 3 below.

2. Professional Conduct

   2.1. Any Student Government member convicted of a felony committed during their term of office shall be immediately removed from office.

3. Impeachment Process

   3.1. The process of impeachment may be held at either a regular Student Senate meeting or a Special Meeting, as determined by the chair of the Student Senate.

   3.2. Due to the seriousness of impeachment charges, two (2) weeks’ notice must be given before an impeachment trial may be held.

   3.3. The proceedings will start with the accused rising and standing before the Student Senate. The chair shall read the accusations and any applicable sections of the Student Government Constitution and Bylaws.

   3.4. The accused shall be granted 10 minutes to plead his/her case in front of the Student Senate. The accused may have counsel plead his/her case as proxy.