

CSG.Bill-FA2024-02

IN THE STUDENT SENATE OF CHATHAM UNIVERSITY

Connor Domke for himself and Dom Randall introduced the following bill.

A BILL

To Clarify Committees

WHEREAS, Ad Hoc Committees have been created without definable tasks associated with them to justify their dissolution before the end of the academic year, which is inconsistent with the definition of Ad Hoc Committees laid out under RONR; and

WHEREAS, This has occurred because the CSG Constitution and Bylaws do not outline a method for creating new Standing Committees; and

WHEREAS, If the Senate believes it is necessary to create a new Standing Committee to better complete its task to promote the general welfare of students then it should be able to do so in a way that is consistent with our parliamentary authority; now, therefore, be it;

ENACTED BY THE STUDENT SENATE OF THE CHATHAM UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLED, That the Bylaws be amended as follows—

SECTION 1. Ad Hoc Committees

1. Title 6, Section 3, will read as:

A) Any Ad Hoc Committee that does not include a particular task that's completion could justify dissolving the committee will be considered out of order.

SECTION 2. Standing Committees

1. Title 6, Section 4, will read as:

- A) New Standing Committees can be created by outlining the Committee's name, defined purpose, and method of appointing/electing leadership under a new section under Title 6 of the CSG Bylaws.
- B) New Standing Committees will continue to exist in perpetuity until/unless they are dissolved, with new chairs to be elected/appointed at the reorganizational meeting every academic year.
- C) New Standing Committees can be dissolved by amending the CSG Bylaws to strike the existing Committee's Section from Title 6.