

The Associated Students
Of
New Mexico State University

SENATE FLOOR SUBSTITUTE FOR
BILL #84

The attached legislation has been properly approved by the members of the Sixtieth Senate of the Associated Students of New Mexico State University in accordance with ASNMSU Law.



Donovan Olvera, ASNMSU Chief Senate Clerk 11/9/16
Date



Kevin Prieto, ASNMSU Vice President 11/9/16
Date

I, Mathew Bose, hereby sign into law this attached piece of legislation.



Mathew Bose, ASNMSU President 11/10/16
Date

SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS
OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY

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SIXTIETH SENATE

2016-2017

Introduced by: Forbes, Morrow, Cairns, Martin, Nasirian, Cruz, Shareef Date: 9/20/16
Referred to: Rules, Community Affairs, Finance Date: 9/22/16
Senate Action: PASSED Date: 11/3/2016
Date Signed: _____

LX-16-17

AN ACT

1 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF COMPTROLLER. BE IT ENACTED BY THE SENATE OF
2 THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY.

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4 Section 1: Purpose of Act.

5 To compensate the ASNMSU Fiscal Advisor (NMSU, Business Manager, I) for any overtime worked (in the
6 conduction of ASNMSU business) from December 1st, 2016 – January 31st, 2017.

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8 Section 2: Main Provisions.

9 **LINE ITEMS**

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11 **Comptroller**

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(1410) Regular Professional

\$ 641.25

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(2090) Fringe Rate Regular

\$ 234.06

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18 **SUBTOTAL**

\$ 875.31

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21 **TOTAL APPROPRIATION**

\$ 875.31

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23 Section 3: Appropriation.

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Eight hundred seventy-five dollars and thirty-one cents (\$875.31) shall be appropriated to the account of
25 Comptroller from the ASNMSU Surplus Account.

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27 Section 4: Rationale.

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Beginning in May of 2016, the ASNMSU Fiscal Advisor was instituted as the temporary advisor for the
29 NMSU Student Media Department. These duties were added onto the Fiscal Advisors existing ASNMSU-
30 related duties, and required the Fiscal Advisor to work overtime to complete all of the tasks. Furthermore,
31 The U.S. Department of Labor instituted a new rule that would go into effect on December 1st, 2016 and
32 raise the minimum salary threshold over which positions are exempt from overtime pay. The Fiscal
33 Advisor's salary level, which used to reside above that threshold, would now be pushed under the federal
34 threshold. After speaking with the NMSU Dean of Students, it was anticipated by the 60th Senate of the

35 Associated Students of New Mexico State University that the ASNMSU Fiscal Advisor would continue to
36 serve as temporary advisor for the NMSU Student Media Department until January 31st of 2017.
37 The ASNMSU Fiscal Advisor estimated that they would work no more than 5 hours overtime per week
38 from December 1st to January 31st managing the accounts of both ASNMSU and the NMSU Student Media
39 Department. This accumulated to a total of \$1,282.50, with a Fringe rate of 36.5%, equating to \$468.11.
40 The total amount was \$1,750.61.

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42 It was negotiated between the ASNMSU Senate and the NMSU Student Media Department that both
43 ASNMSU and Student media would provide fifty percent (50%) of the Fiscal Advisor's overtime
44 compensation, as the Fiscal Advisor anticipated that they would spend approximately half of their overtime
45 working on the accounts for each. This legislation was written to provide ASNMSU's half of the funding
46 for the Fiscal Advisor's overtime compensation.