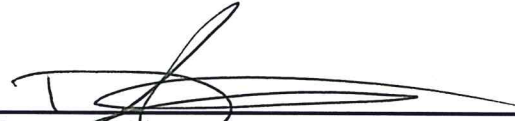


The Associated Students
Of
New Mexico State University

BILL #128

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 2/14/17
Date



Kevin Prieto, ASNMSU Vice President 2/4/17
Date

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



Mathew Bose, ASNMSU President 2/14/17
Date

**SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS
OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY**

BILL #128

SIXTIETH SENATE

2016-2017

Introduced by: Cairns, Martin, Morrow, Ordoque, Shareef, Stevens Date: 1/24/2017
Referred to: Rules, Community Affairs, Finance Date: 1/26/2017
Senate Action: PASSED Date: 2/9/2017
Date Signed: _____

LX-16-17

AN ACT

1 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF MODEL UNITED NATIONS - NMSU. BE IT ENACTED BY
2 THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY.

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4 Section 1: Purpose of Act.

5 To provide funding for fifteen students (8 males, 7 females) to compete at The National Model United Nations
6 conference (NMUN) in New York, NY from April 9 – 13, 2017.

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8 Section 2: Main Provisions.

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10 **LINE ITEMS**

11	Individual registration fee (1 fee @ \$135.00/fee x 15 fees)	\$ 2025.00
12	Team registration fee (1 fee @ \$200.00/fee)	\$ 200.00
13	Airfare (1 ticket @ \$550.00/ticket x 15 tickets)	\$ 8250.00
14	(El Paso, TX to New York, NY) (Round-trip)	
15	Gas (1 mile @ \$0.535/mile x 100 miles x 3 vehicles)	\$ 161.00
16	(Las Cruces, NM to El Paso, TX) (Round-trip)	
17	Inner-city travel (1 fee @ \$40.00/fee x 4 fees)	\$ 160.00
18	(Hotel to United Nations Headquarter) (Round-trip)	
19	Hotel (1 room @ \$329.00/night x 6 nights x 4 rooms)	\$ 7896.00
20	Hotel porterage (1 fee @ \$11.00/fee x 15 fees)	\$ 165.00

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22 **SUBTOTAL**

\$ 18857.00

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Less Council Funds (Arts and Sciences Council)

\$ 500.00

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25 **SUBTOTAL**

\$ 18357.00

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Less Matching Funds (60%)

\$ 11015.00

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28 **TOTAL APPROPRIATION**

\$ 7342.00

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30 Section 3: Appropriation.

31 Seven thousand three hundred forty-two dollars and no cents (\$7342.00) shall be appropriated to the account of
32 Model United Nations - NMSU from the ASNMSU Surplus Account.

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34 Section 4: Rationale.

35 Prasamsa Dhakal, Joli McSherry, Micaela de la Rosa, Jan Bonestroo, William Jones, DeLorean Forbes,
36 Marcus Sanchez, Connor Schultz, Linda Cisneros, Isadora Renner, Alexander Chumas, Cody McCarty,

37 Haley Stewart, Wilderness-Castillo Dobson, and Thomas White will be competing against over 500 other
38 schools from around the world at the NMUN conference in New York. The NMSU MUN team annually
39 competes at the NMUN Conference and has had a proud and honorable track record of winning awards and
40 being recognized as a distinguished delegation every year. In the previous year, NMUN 2016, the NMSU
41 Model United Nations team was recognized as Outstanding Delegation which places NMSU in the top 10
42 percent of all universities in attendance and is the highest team honor recognized by NMUN; the last time
43 the NMSU MUN team was awarded this honor was a decade ago. Additionally, the NMSU MUN team earned
44 six out of eight committee awards, two best delegate awards, and three chair positions. The performance and
45 tradition of last year's team has laid out the framework and foundation for this year's team to be successful
46 while representing New Mexico State University in an honorable fashion. The 2017 NMUN competition will
47 enhance their negotiation, resolution writing and diplomacy skills as they debate various international issues
48 with other national and international schools and universities that are taking the position of several different
49 nations in committees such as the General Assembly, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural
50 Organization, and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs to name a few. The 2017 NMSU MUN team is eager
51 and well prepared to carry out its legacy of success and to continue representing New Mexico State University
52 at the highest level.