

**The Associated Students
Of
New Mexico State University**

BILL #99

The attached legislation has not been properly approved by the members of the Sixty Second Senate of the Associated Students of New Mexico State University in accordance with ASNMSU Law.

SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS
OF NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY

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SIXTY-SECOND SENATE

2018-2019

Introduced by: Ortiz, Shareef, Stewart Date: 10/30/2018
Referred to: Rules, Community Affairs, Finance Date: 11/01/2018
Senate Action: DO NOT PASS Date: 11/15/2018

LXII-18-19

AN ACT

1 AMENDING SECTIONS 7-3-3 OF THE 2018-2019 ASNMSU LAW BOOK. 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 amend Chapter 7 of the ASNMSU Law Book. Amended with deleted material [in brackets] and inserted material
6 underlined;

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8 Section 2: Main Provisions.

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10 7. FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

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14 7-3. ASNMSU GENERAL FUNDING RULES ACT

15 AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE ASNMSU SENATE APPROPRIATION GENERAL REGULATIONS
16 THAT APPLIES TO ALL FUNDING APPROPRIATIONS.

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20 7-3-3. MAIN PROVISIONS

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24 P. Any bill which is making an appropriation that is introduced to the ASNMSU Senate and
25 referred to the standing committees shall have a time limit placed upon it for which it can
26 remain in the standing committees or Senate. Any bill, for any type of travel, shall be given
27 six (6) working weeks from the date it is introduced in first reading to get to the Senate for
28 second readings to be voted upon. Such a bill may be tabled in any committees for as long as
29 the author desires so long as it reaches the Senate by the sixth week to be voted upon. If it
30 stays in committees for any longer than six (6) working weeks it shall be automatically
31 withdrawn. The bill shall be considered active during the time placed upon it and shall be
32 withdrawn automatically if it goes over the time placed upon it.

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36 3. Should an appropriations bill remain in the standing committees for six (6) working
37 weeks, be referred to the Senate floor, and then be referred back to committees, the bill
38 shall have until the next regularly scheduled general senate meeting to pass through the

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ASNMSU Senate. If the bill does not pass through the ASNMSU Senate by the next regularly scheduled general meeting, it shall be withdrawn automatically. [return to the floor. If the bill does not return to the Senate floor by the next regularly scheduled general meeting, it shall be withdrawn automatically.]

44 Section 3: Rationale.

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7-3-3-P-3: Appropriation bills shall have six working weeks to pass through the Senate and the two extra weeks are given for those special circumstances where they were not able to meet their condition. As its written it provides the possibility of a continuous loop.