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## SB63-18/19: Resolution Regarding Striking Section 9.13 and its Subpoints from Fiscal Policy

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1                             **The Associated Students of the University of Montana**  
2                             **Resolution Regarding Striking Section 9.13 and its Subpoints from Fiscal Policy**  
3                                     **April 11, 2019**  
4                                     **SB63-18/19**  
5                             **Authored by: Zoe Nelson, ASUM Senator;**  
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7     Whereas, The Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM) is bound by its Fiscal  
8     Policy;

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10    Whereas, ASUM Senators have not utilized the Senate Call function in recent years;

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12    Whereas, The last time ASUM tried to utilize the Senate Call function was during the Final  
13    Budgeting Process in Fiscal Year (FY) 2016/2017;

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15    Whereas, The last time ASUM successfully utilized the Senate Call function was during the  
16    Final Budgeting Process in FY 2011/2012;

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18    Whereas, The Formal Lobbying process outlined in Section 9.10 of Fiscal Policy functions  
19    similarly to the Senate Call function;

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21    Whereas, Section 9.13 of Fiscal Policy reads:

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23            *“9.13 Senate Call may occur by the Tuesday of the seventh academic week, if requested by a*  
24            *majority of Senators. At this time, Senators can request organizations to appear and justify*  
25            *their budgets and ask questions of their functions. Organizations cannot appear without*  
26            *being officially called by a Senator. Senate Call procedures shall be as follows:*

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28            *9.13.1 Each Senator may call a maximum of two member organizations.*

29            *9.13.2 Each Senator has the right to the floor when his or her organization has been*  
30            *called.*

31            *9.13.3 Each organization called may answer a question from any Senator, but no*  
32            *lobbying shall be allowed.*

33            *9.13.4 No member organization may be called more than once during the Senate Call*  
34            *except by a two-thirds majority vote on a privileged motion, which shall not be*  
35            *debatable.”;*

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37    Therefore, Let It Be Resolved, That Section 9.13 and its Subpoints be struck from Fiscal Policy;

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39    Therefore, Let It Be Further Resolved, That the numbering be changed in Section 9 of Fiscal  
40    Policy to reflect said changes.

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42    Passed by Committee: \_\_\_\_\_, 2019

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44    Passed by ASUM Senate: \_\_\_\_\_, 2019

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48 Andria Schafer,  
49 Chair of the Board on Budget and Finance

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Mariah Welch,  
Chair of the Senate

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