THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
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February 2, 2010

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GS10
February 21st, 2010

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 830602
SENATE BILL NO. GS10-04

AS INTRODUCED
A concurrent resolution establishing an election date for the amendments to the UOSA Constitution submitted by initiative; creating polling sites and dates; and providing an effective date.

Whereas: The UOSA Superior Court issued a ruling on November 10th, 2009 that ordered the UOSA General Counsel to certify certain amendments to the UOSA Constitution submitted by initiative petition; and

Whereas: The UOSA Undergraduate Student Congress and Graduate Student Senate respect and will adhere to the Superior Court’s November 10th holdings; and

Whereas: Because of time constraints between November 10th, 2009 and December 1st, 2009, including the Thanksgiving holiday, the Undergraduate Student Congress and Graduate Student Senate could not reach an agreement on legislation establishing the a date for elections on the proposed constitutional amendments; and

Whereas: Session 83 for the Undergraduate Student Congress began on December 1st, 2009, the second meeting following the Superior Court’s ruling on November 10th, 2009; and

Whereas: The Undergraduate Student Congress will not be adequately organized to consider legislation of the sort the Superior Court ordered until January 26, 2010, when Congress will hold its second meeting of the year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS WITH THE GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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Section 1: An election concerning the constitutional amendments to the UOSA Constitution submitted through initiative petition process, and outlined in Section 2 of this resolution shall be established to occur March 30th and 31st, 2010 as specified in Title VII, Chapter 2, Section 9, Subsection (c) of the UOSACA

Section 2: The constitutional amendments that this resolution shall apply include all amendments submitted through the initiative process and received and certified by the UOSA General Counsel on or before Tuesday, January 26, 2010.

Section 3: The ballot language for submitted initiative petitions shall be as written by the UOSA General Counsel.

Section 4: The constitutional amendments listed in Section 2 shall be voted on at all polling places established for the 2010 UOSA Spring General Elections.

Section 5: This act shall be effective when passed and signed in accordance with the UOSA Constitution.

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Submitted on a Motion by: Representative Gress, seconded by Representative Cannon

Action taken by Congress: Passed by Consent, no objection

Verified by Chair: ____________________________ Date: ____________

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair: ____________________________ Date: ____________