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35 Council of Colleges & Schools Bill #6

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

STUDENT UNION

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A BILL

BILL HISTORY

Students spend a great deal of money on textbooks. Student feedback suggests that it is not unusual to spend over \$500 for two semesters' worth of books. For many students, the cost of textbooks adds to the financial hardship of attending school. The Council of Colleges and Schools has chosen to work toward reasonable textbook prices and competitive options for textbook purchase.

Although many ideas currently exist for remedying the textbook situation, it is important that we gather feedback from individuals involved and examine the approaches of other universities. For these reasons, this bill allocates \$300.00 + GAR from the 1990-91 Local School Rollover Funds to conduct a Survey of Textbook Issues among CU Boulder faculty and to contact peer universities and organizations.

BILL SUMMARY

This bill allocates \$300.00 + GAR from Council of Colleges & Schools account #1391200 1990-91 Local School Rollover Funds for the cost of conducting a Survey of Textbook Issues among CU Boulder faculty and to contact peer universities and organizations.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of Colleges & Schools of the University of Colorado Student Union, THAT:

SECTION 1: An amount of \$300.00 + GAR from Local Schools account #1391200 1990-91 Rollover Funds be allocated for the cost of conducting a Survey of Textbook Issues.

SECTION 2: A written report shall be submitted pursuant 34CCSB#15.

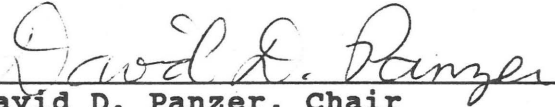
SECTION 3: This bill takes effect upon passage.

BUDGET

1,610 Professors and faculty
236 Graduate Part-Time Instructors
44 Peer universities
35 Miscellaneous

1975 Surveys (3 sides)	\$161.25
Mailing Labels (1,846)	36.92
Campus Mailing Costs	60.92
USPS Mailing Costs (50)	14.50
Telephone Costs	<u>20.00</u>
Total	\$293.59

10/10/91-Passes-Council of Colleges & Schools-1st Reading-Accl.
10/17/91-Passes-Council of Colleges & Schools-2nd Reading-Accl.


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