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University of Colorado Student Government Legislative Council

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A Bill to Create Liaison Position Between Residential Housing Association (RHA) and University of Colorado **Student Government (CUSG)**

Bill History

The Residential Housing Association (RHA) is the second largest governing body on campus. They influence every student that lives in the residence halls. Due to the impact that both entities have it is important to impact large amounts of students that both bodies work in accordance with each other.

Bill Summary

This bill creates a liaison position between RHA and CUSG Legislative Council, to be filled by a Representative at Large.

Whereas, there is currently little to no interaction between Legislative Council and the RHA,

Whereas, the RHA is the second largest governing body on our campus,

Whereas, the RHA is a very influential entity on campus, and especially over the Freshman Population,

Whereas the RHA helps increase relations in housing and dining with Legislative Council,

Whereas, the RHA funds student groups on campus and Legislative Council should support their endeavors,

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED THAT:

Section 1: This bill creates liaison position for the RHA, similar to those Joint and Advisory Board positions already held by members of Representative Council.

Section 2: This position will be added to the list of liaison appointments for Legislative Council members on already established joint and advisory boards, which includes the Air, CEB, Environmental, Recreation, Freshmen Council, UMC, Health, WRC, VRC, GLBTQ, SGFB, DSB, and SORCE boards

Section 3: One of the Representatives-at-Large will be appointed and ratified by Legislative Council to serve in this position.

Section 4: The appointee will sit on the RHA Executive board, and should attend a minimal half of the RHA Meetings.

Section 5: As a liaison, the appointed Representative-at-Large will work with the RHA to create a strong, communicative, and transparent bond between the two entities.

Section 6: This new ex-officio position should be included in the RHA bylaws and other governing documents

Section 7: This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Legislative Council and upon either obtaining the signatures of two Tri-Executives or the lapse of six days without actions by the Tri-Executives.

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