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The Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada
University of Nevada, Las Vegas

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

SENATE MEETING 55-24

*DATE AND TIME: September 8th, 2025 at
6:00pm*

**Student Union – Meeting Rooms 208B & C
University of Nevada, Las Vegas**

**4505 S. Maryland Parkway
Las Vegas, Nevada 89154**

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ROLL CALL

Seated Senators: **21/25**

Quorum: 12

CHAIR: **Senate President Flores**

Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering

- Senator Gerwaski- *Excused*
- Senator Morfinez-Solis- *Excused*
- Senator Montoya- *Excused*

College of Liberal Arts

- SPPT Ibarra Lira- *Present*
- Senator Tuitele- *Present*
- Senator Prieto- *Present*
- Senator Hubshman- *Present*
- Senator Melgoza- *Present*
- Senator Le- *Present*

College of Fine Arts

- Senator Hankins- *Unexcused, Present at 6:28 pm*
- Senator Pennie- *Present*

College of Sciences

- Senator Perez Martinez- *Present*
- Senator Tecklay- *Present, Excused at 8:07 pm*

Greenspun College of Urban Affairs

- Senator Davis- *Present*
- Senator Coss- *Present*

William F. Harrah College of Hospitality

- Senator Navarro Mendoza- *Present*

Lee Business School

- Senator Brooks- *Presents*
- Senator Cameron- *Present*
- Senator Curry- *Present*
- VACANT

College of Education

- VACANT

Division of Health Sciences

- Senator Yelvington- *Present*
- Senator Briones- *Excused*
- VACANT

- VACANT

The meeting was called to order at 6:06 pm.

With 16 senators present, quorum is met.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC MEETING

NOTE:

Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be presented and considered at the meeting. Notification is hereby provided that items on the agenda may be taken out of the order and presented, two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration, and an agenda item may be removed from the agenda or discussion relating to an item on the agenda may be delayed at any time.

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AGENDA

Call to Order and Roll Call

(See previous page for Roll Call)

- 1. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT INFORMATION ONLY** The University of Nevada, Las Vegas wishes to acknowledge and honor the Indigenous communities of this region and recognize that the university is situated on the traditional homelands of the Nuwuvi, Southern Paiute People. We offer gratitude for the land itself, for those who have stewarded it for generations, and for the opportunity to study, learn, work, and be in community with this land.

Opened: 6:08 pm

Closed: 6:08 pm

- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION ONLY**

(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)

Opened: 6:08 pm

Reagent Heather Brown- Congratulates CSUN and talks about work in CSUN. Talks about the NSHE Board of Regents and is open to talking with CSUN.

Nadya Perez Martinez- Talks about the work of the Scholarships and Grants committee. Brings to attention SB 55-32, 55-40, 55-43 and explains each of the bill's purposes.

Nikki Adams- Represents UNLV Mock Trial and promotes SB 55-47. Talks about accomplishments of the club.

Closed: 6:14 pm

- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

55-23 Meeting Minutes – as posted to the public www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information

Opened: 6:14 pm

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 55-23 Meeting Minutes have been approved.

Closed: 6:15 pm

4. REPORTS INFORMATION ONLY

A. SENATE COMMITTEE REPORTS

The Chair of each Senate Committee will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective committees since the last meeting of the Senate.

- Ways & Means - Chair Curry
- Scholarships & Grants - Chair Perez-Martinez
- Internal Affairs - Chair Brooks
- University Initiatives - Chair Hankins

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

B. PROFESSIONAL STAFF REPORTS

The CSUN Professional Staff will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

ESTIMATED TIME: 5 minutes

C. LIAISON REPORTS

The CSUN Department Liaisons will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

- Senate President Pro Tempore
- Attorney General
- Chief Of Staff
- Directors
- Judicial Council

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

D. EXECUTIVE REPORTS

The President, Vice President, and Senate President will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

- President
- Vice President
- Senate President

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

5. CONSENT AGENDA

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Matters listed on the Consent Agenda are considered routine and may be approved by a single motion. However, any Consent Item may be moved to the Business portion of the agenda for discussion at the request of any Senator.

Opened: 10:15 pm

A. Approval of University Initiatives Committee Appointments

Chair Hankins requests time for the approval of the following CSUN Senators to join the University Initiatives Committee:

- Senator Montoya

B. Approval of Ways & Means funding requests from Ways and Means meeting 55-14

a. Approval of Senate Bill 55-45 an Act to Appropriate Funds for The National Association of Black Accountants, Inc.

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-45 to fund The National Association of Black Accountants, Inc. a total of \$7,429.07.

b. Approval of Senate Bill 55-47 an Act to Appropriate Funds for The UNLV Competitive Mock Trial Team

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-47 to fund The UNLV Competitive Mock Trial Team a total of \$9,368.96.

c. Approval of Senate Bill 55-44 an Act to Appropriate Funds for The UNLV Formula Racing

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-44 to fund The UNLV Formula Racing a total of \$13,593.35

Opened: 10:19 pm

Chair Curry- States amount of the bill needs to be amended.

Chair Curry- Motions to amend SB 55-44 Addendum A to reflect the updated budget sheet.

Senator Perez Martinez- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend Addendum A has been approved.

Chair Curry- Motions to amend SB-44 to say "\$12,500.35."

Senator Perez Martinez- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend SB-44 to say "\$12,500.35" has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on SB 55-44.

With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-44 has passed.

Closed: 10:22 pm

- d. Approval of Senate Bill 55-50 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Future Latinos in Medicine**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-50 to fund Future Latinos in Medicine a total of \$9,610.56
 - e. Approval of Senate Bill 55-53 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Eta Sigma Delta UNLV Chapter**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-53 to fund Eta Sigma Delta UNLV Chapter a total of \$2,785.99
 - f. Approval of Senate Bill 55-69 an Act to Appropriate Funds for ISACA Student Group**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-69 to fund ISACA Student Group a total of \$2,341.15
 - g. Approval of Senate Bill 55-46 an Act to Appropriate Funds for the Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering Student Ambassadors**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-46 to fund the Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering Student Ambassadors a total of \$3,788.67
 - h. Approval of Senate Bill 55-56 an Act to Appropriate Funds for the Themed Entertainment Association**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-56 to fund the Themed Entertainment Association a total of \$6,876.61
 - i. Approval of Senate Bill 55-57 an Act to Appropriate Funds for the UNLV Honors Rebellion**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-57 to fund the UNLV Honors Rebellion a total of \$8,888.73
- C. Approval of Ways & Means funding requests from Ways and Means meeting 55-15**
- a. Approval of Senate Bill 55-70 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Phi Delta Theta**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-70 to fund Phi Delta Theta a total of \$4,027.46
 - b. Approval of Senate Bill 55-58 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Alpha Psi Rho**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-58 to fund Alpha Psi Rho a total of \$4,098.00
 - c. Approval of Senate Bill 55-64 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Epsilon Alpha Sigma**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-64 to fund Epsilon Alpha Sigma a total of \$4,035.99
 - d. Approval of Senate Bill 55-51 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Panhellenic Council**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-51 to fund Panhellenic Council a total of \$10,630.18

- e. Approval of Senate Bill 55-61 an Act to Appropriate Funds for UNLV, eh?**
Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-61 to fund UNLV, eh? a total of \$6,976.90

Opened: 10:23 pm

Chair Curry- States amount of the bill needs to be amended.

Chair Curry- Motions to amend the SB 55-61 Addendum A to reflect the advised budget.

Senator Perez Martinez- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend Addendum A has been approved.

Chair Curry- Motions to amended SB 55-61 to say "\$5,940.40"

Senator Perez Martinez- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend SB 55-61 to say "\$5,940.40" has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to pass the bill.

With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-61 has passed

Closed: 10:25 pm

- f. Approval of Senate Bill 55-62 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Girl Gains UNLV**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-62 to fund Girl Gains UNLV a total of \$6,040.89

- g. Approval of Senate Bill 55-63 an Act to Appropriate Funds for American Society of Civil Engineers, UNLV Student Chapter**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-63 to fund Act to Appropriate Funds for American Society of Civil Engineers, UNLV Student Chapter a total of \$9,914.98

- h. Approval of Senate Bill 55-65 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-65 to fund Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated a total of \$2,672.34

- i. Approval of Senate Bill 55-66 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Society of Automotive Engineers**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-66 to fund Society of Automotive Engineers a total of \$13,030.87

Opened: 10:25 pm

Chair Curry- States amount of the bill needs to be amended.

Chair Curry- Motions to amend Addendum A to reflect the advised budget.

Senator Prieto- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend Addendum A has been approved.

Chair Curry- Motions to amend SB 55-66 to say "\$12,500.37."

Senator Coss- seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend SB 55-66 to say "\$12,500.37." has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the bill.

With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-66 has passed.

Closed: 10:26 pm

Senator Brooks- States Consent Agenda Item A is for Internal Affairs.

Senator Hankins- States it is.

Senator Brooks- States it was not added.

Chair Curry- Motions to remove Subsection B Point C, Subsection C Point E, Point I from the Consent Agenda and move to New Business.

Senator Davis- Seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote on the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 has Subsection B Point C, Subsection C Point E, Point I been moved to New Business.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the Consent Agenda has been approved.

Closed: 10:19 pm

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Unfinished Business is any motion or action item that was under discussion and was postponed or moved to this meeting at the discretion of the public body as approved by the Chair.

A. Work Session on the Fall 2025 CSUN Internship Program (INFORMATION ONLY)

Senate President Pro-Tempore Ibarra-Lira requests time for the discussion of and regarding the Fall 2025 CSUN Internship Program. Proposed discussion may include the structure, functions, and operations of the CSUN Internship Program in accordance with the CSUN Bylaws: Title 1: The Legislative Branch, Title 107: CSUN Internship Program. Items for consideration at future meetings may be suggested under this agenda item and must remain relevant to the proposed item. Any discussion of an item under “New Business” is limited to description and clarification of the subject matter of the item, which may include the reasons for the request. No substantive discussion may occur at this meeting on new business items in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.020 et seq)

Opened:

Closed:

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

7. NEW BUSINESS

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

New business is any motion that is new to this meeting. All items will be for possible action unless otherwise stated. The Chair reserves the right to call items in any order.

A. Updates from the President of the University

INFORMATION ONLY

Senate President Flores requests time for the updates from the President Chris Heavy.

Opened: 6:15 pm.

President Chris Heavy- Introduces themselves as the Interim President and future goal as President. Talks about goals of the University and accomplishments. Talks about close work with President Odunze and is happy to come back and talk with CSUN in the future.

Senator Curry- Asks about fundraising for building/upgrading the Lee Business School.

President Chris Heavy- Talks about building a new business school and its future location and funding. States there are three capital projects on list: new business school, fine arts school, and expansion of student union.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Thanks speaker.

Senator Hankins is present at 6:18 pm. 17 Senators are present.

Closed: 6:24 pm

B. Updates from the University Leadership

INFORMATION ONLY

Senate President Flores requests time for the updates from the Associate Vice President, Student Life Deanna Merino Contino

Opened: ~~6:15 pm~~ 6:24 pm

Senator Curry takes a point of personal privilege at 6:24 pm.

Associate Vice President Merino Contino- Introduces new Student Union Director Ai

Adrienne Smith- Talks about past work and future goals for the Student Union.

Associate Vice President Merino Contino- Refers to presentation found in the supplemental materials. Talks about student life goals and areas looking for improvement. Outlines top 3 priorities for student life in FY 26.

Senator Curry returns from a point of personal privilege at 6:29 pm.

Senator Hubshman- Thanks the presenter.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Thanks the presenter.

Closed: 6:35 pm

C. Presentation regarding the Automatic Lock Buttons Security Measure

INFORMATION ONLY

Senate President Flores requests time for the Presentation from Interim Executive Director Donald Johnson regarding the Automatic Lock Buttons, accompanied by Michael Baily, Assistant Director of Work Management, and others.

Opened: 6:35 pm

Executive Director Johnson- Talks about the automatic lock buttons initiative. Talks about the phases of the project. Asks for feedback.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Presents video of automatic lock buttons system.

Executive Director Johnson- Highlights the LED light system.

Senator Brooks- Thanks presenter. Talks about increase in safety on campus.

Executive Director Johnson- States each professor has access to the safety video to play in class.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks about button design.

Executive Director Johnson- States they wanted to button to stand out.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks why students can still exit if the button is used to lock.

Executive Director Johnson- States it is in case of an emergency. Goal was to create safety from someone outside coming into the classroom.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks if it only locks one door.

Executive Director Johnson- States it will lock doors that access the classroom, one or two.

Senator Brooks- Asks about police services.

Executive Director Johnson- Asks about coordinating with police services.

Senator Brooks- Asks about how this has changed from previous semesters.

Executive Director Johnson- Talks about the process of the readers and the addition of the safety lock.

Chief of Staff Reynolds- Asks if the button can be used multiple times.

Executive Director Johnson- Talks about extra features of the button.

Senator Davis- Asks if the button is limited to just classrooms.

Executive Director Johnson- States it is just classroom spaces.

Senator Navarro Mendoza- States they have used the security measure and appreciates it.

Senator Brooks- Asks if the buttons will be added to staff offices.

Executive Director Johnson- States some spaces do not have the single action lock and are looking to fix that.

President Odunze- Asks if the button alerts the University Police and why.

Executive Director Johnson- States they are working to notify University Police.

Senator Hubshman- Asks if the button is pushed you cannot unlock the door.

Executive Director Johnson- Clarifies locking of system.

Senator Curry- Asks for clarification on an intruder barricading themselves inside a

classroom.

Executive Director Johnson- Clarifies that the intruder would have to be in the way of the door. States there are phones in each classroom. Thanks University leadership that got the funding together for the project.

Closed: 6:54 pm

D. Presentation regarding the Heat Stress Training **INFORMATION ONLY**

Senator Cameron requests time for the Presentation from Safety Training Specialist, Dan Bollard in regards to Heat Stress Training.

Opened: 6:54 pm

Dan Bollard- Hands out supplemental flyer. Talks about tips for staying cool and avoiding heat stress. In addition discusses risk factors and heat stroke. Highlights first aid and water consumption.

Senator Cameron- Thanks the presenter.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks about drinking too much water.

Dan Bollard- States recommended water consumption is an OSHA regulation.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Thanks the presenter.

Closed: 7:11 pm

E. Presentation from ACLU Nevada **INFORMATION ONLY**

Senator Cameron requests time for the Know Your Rights presentation from ACLU Nevada.

Opened: 7:11 pm

Associate Director Munoz- Refers to presentation as found in the supplemental materials.

Senator Cameron- Talks about the ACLU and introduces presenter Sadmira Ramic.

Sadmira Ramic- Presents on Constitutional rights, what to do if arrested, and the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

Senator Davis- Thanks the presenter. Asks if the presenter has a flyer to give to students.

Sadmira Ramic- States the QR code has a printable handout.

Senator Brooks- Thanks the presenter. Asks about the government providing a lawyer if detained by ICE.

Sadmira Ramic- States immigration courts are separate and are not the same proceedings.

Senator Brooks- Asks about schools not honoring ICE subpoenas.

Sadmira Ramic- Refers to FERPA.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Thanks the presenter.

Closed: 7:40 pm

**F. Presentation regarding Senate Seat Calculations for the 56th Legislative Session
INFORMATION ONLY**

Senate President Flores requests time for a presentation from Advisor Marni Dow regarding the new distribution of senate seats for the 56th Senate Session.

Opened: 7:40 pm

Advisor Dow- Refers the CSUN Constitution on how the Senate seats are calculated. Refers to the Senate Seat Calculations spreadsheet as found in the supplemental materials.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Reads the supplemental highlighted portion of the CSUN Constitution and Senate Seat Calculation spreadsheet.

Senator Curry- Asks if the number accounts for double majors.

Advisor Dow- States there are primary and secondary colleges.

Senator Curry- Asks how the primary and secondary colleges are selected.

Advisor Dow- States they are unsure but a student cannot be counted in more than one college.

Senator Brooks- Talks about priority of majors.

Advisor Dow- Talks about students not being able to vote in the correct election. States they can fix it in the Involvement Center.

Senator Brooks- Asks about Engineering school enrollment.

Advisor Dow- States the numbers given in the report are what CSUN goes off.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks if the number of seats go up in increased enrollment.

Advisor Dow- States seat number is 25 unless CSUN Constitution is changed.

Senator Hubshman- Asks how many students in the College of Liberal Arts are undeclared majors.

Advisor Dow- States they do not know off the top of their head.

Closed: 7:57 pm

G. Work Session on CSUN Recommendations for the UNLV 2027 Legislative Priority List (INFORMATION ONLY)

President Odunze requests time for the discussion on CSUN recommendations for the UNLV Legislative priority list. Proposed discussion may include CSUN high-impact funding priorities recommendations to the University Administration to submit to NSHE for the 2027 Legislative Session. Items for consideration at future meetings may be suggested under this agenda item and must remain relevant to the proposed item. Any discussion of an item under “New Business” is limited to description and clarification of the subject matter of the item, which may include the reasons for the request. No substantive discussion may occur at this meeting on new business items in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.020 et seq)

Opened: 7:57 pm

President Odunze- Asks for CSUN feedback on the UNLV 2027 Legislative Priority List. Refers to supplemental material for CSUN Legislative input.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Explains the State Legislative sessions and UNLV's plan to advocate during the session. States Wright Hall needs to be remodeled.

Senator Brooks- Supports construction for the new Lee Business School. Promotes the Nevada Graduate Assistant Union.

Senator Curry- Agrees with Senator Brooks. Talks about clean energy research cuts and pushes for grants.

Senator Hankins- States the audio is quiet for the meeting. Asks if the discussion includes campus infrastructure.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- States yes.

Senator Hankins- Talks about issues with the Cottage Grove Parking Garage. Promotes student parking solutions on the north side of campus.

Senator Tecklay is excused at 8:07 pm.

Senator Tuitele takes a point of personal privilege at 8:08 pm.

Chief of Staff Reynolds- Agrees with Senator Hankins. Promotes increase in mental health resources.

Senator Hubshman- Talks about electric scooter infrastructure. Promotes including more shady areas.

Senator Prieto- Promotes building a second dining commons.

Senator Tuitele returns from a point of personal privilege at 8:14 pm.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Suggests funding for enhancing the Student Union and a multicultural

center.

Senator Hubshman- Talks about expanding space for student life in the Student Union.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Agrees with Senator Hubshman.

Senator Cameron- Talks about currently working on implementing more shady areas and issues with planting trees. Talks about Heat Relief initiative,

Attorney General Rejas- Talks about funding for the Thomas and Mack clinic.

Senator Davis- Wants to push diversity and celebrate it on campus. Talks about expansion of programs and diversity of staff. Talks about creating a building on campus for Greek Life, Food pantry. Agrees with Chief of Staff Reynolds about promoting mental health services. Talks about golf cart rides with security and working with the University Police Department. Promotes enhancing Student Employment and Rebel Cards. Wants 24/7 campus access.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Talks about projects with a big picture.

Senator Davis- States their ideas were large.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- States ideas should be able to be taken up to the State Legislature.

President Odunze- Clarifies point of discussion.

Chief of Staff Reynolds- Agrees with Senator Davis on a Greek Life building and digital Rebel Cards.

Senator Perez Martinez- Refers to Zoom and “microphone not working.”

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks if anyone online can hear the meeting.

Senator Brooks takes a point of personal privilege at 8:37 pm.

Closed: 8:37 pm

H. Discussion and Approval of Executive Bill 55-04: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CSUN BYLAW CHAPTERS 201, 205, 208, AND 405

Chair Brooks requests time for the approval of Executive Bill 55-04: An Act to Amend the CSUN Bylaw Chapter 201, 205, 208, and 405 as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 8:37 pm

President Odunze- Presents EB 55-04 as found in the supplemental materials. Goes over the bill based on a recent Judicial Council ruling.

Chief Justice Adams- Talks about discrepancy between the CSUN Constitution and the Bylaws on the Executive Office/Branch and the Executive Officers.

President Odunze- Explains credit requirements.

Chair Brooks returns from a point of personal privilege at 8:43 pm.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks about the Senate Secretary position in reference to the change in bylaws.

President Odunze- Unsure about the position. Refers to Chief Justice.

Attorney General Rejas- States the Senate Secretary position is a part of the Executive branch per the bylaws.

President Odunze- Refers to bylaws in reference to the Senate Secretary as a part of the Legislative Branch.

Advisor Dow- States the Senate Secretary is a member of the Executive Branch.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Clarifies discussion.

Attorney General Rejas- Clarifies compensation level.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks about amending the bill.

Advisor Dow- Suggest tabling the item.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks for further clarification and to avoid violating.

Advisor Dow- Clarifies.

Senator Coss- motions to table Agenda Item 7 H indefinitely.

Senator Prieto- Seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to table Agenda Item 7 H indefinitely has passed.

Closed: 8:52 pm

Reopened at 9:25 pm.

President Odunze- Shows updates with the Senate Secretary as seen in EB 55-04.

Senator Brooks- Shows concern about the process for changes to bill with it tabled.

Senator Davis takes a point of personal privilege at 9:26 pm.

President Odunze- Refers to CSUN bylaws.

Senator Perez Martinez takes a point of personal privilege at 9:28 pm.

Advisor Dow- States somehow still has to amend the bill.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- States someone has to motion for the amendment.

Advisor Dow- Agrees.

Senator Curry- Refers to Attorney General Rejas.

Attorney General Rejas- States there is no stipulation for anyone to make an amendment.

Senator Brooks- Raises concern a bill passed in the committee that is changed outside of the Senate.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks for clarification.

Senator Brooks- Clarifies.

Attorney General Rejas- Clarifies changes made by President Odunze.

Senator Perez Martinez returns from a point of personal privilege at 9:32 pm.

Senator Curry takes a point of personal privilege at 9:33 pm.

Senator Navarro Mendoza- Motions amend EB 55-04 Chapter 203 Section 2, Subsection A, Number 1 to say "The Senate Secretary shall have successfully completed no less than twenty four (24) UNLV-recognized undergraduate credits, the last six (6) of which must be from UNLV."

Senator Perez Martinez- Seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion.

With a vote of 14-0-2 the motion to amend EB 55-04 Chapter 203 Section 2, Subsection A, Number 1 has been approved.

Senator Tuitele- Motions to amend EB 55-04 Chapter 405, Section 1, Subsection B, Point 5 to read "\$3,000.00."

Senator Perez Martinez- Seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion.

With a vote of 14-0-2 the motion to amend EB 55-04 C Chapter 405, Section 1, Subsection B, Point 5 has been approved.

Senator Melgoza- Motions to amend EB 55-04 Chapter 406, Section 03, Subsection A, Point 4 to retract "Senate Secretary."

Senator Prieto- Seconds motion.

Senator Davis returns from a point of personal privilege at 9:39 pm.

Senator Curry returns from a point of personal privilege at 9:41 pm.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion.

With a vote of 15-0-1 the motion to amend EB 55-04 EB 55-04 Chapter 406, Section 03, Subsection A, Point 4 has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks for clarification on title of bill from Attorney General Rejas.

Attorney General Rejas- States changes made would be included in the title.

Senator Brooks- Motions to amend EB 55-04 Title to read "AN ACT TO AMEND THE CSUN BYLAW CHAPTERS 201, 203, 205, 208, 405 AND 406."

Senator Curry- second motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion to amend EB 55-04 Title has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve EB 55-04

With a vote of 16-0-0 EB 55-04 has been approved.

Closed: 9:46 pm.

**I. Discussion and Approval of SB 55-40: AN ACT TO AMEND CSUN BYLAWS
CHAPTER 811: RESEARCH CONTINUATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Chair Perez Martinez requests time for the approval of Senate Bill 55-40 , An Act to Amend CSUN Bylaws Chapter 811: Research Continuation Scholarship as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 8:52 pm

Chair Perez Martinez- Presents SB 55-40 as found in the supplemental materials. Goes over the bill and reason for discontinuation.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Talks about the removal of the scholarship.

Chair Perez Martinez- States the department is open to working to create a new scholarship.

Senator Hubshman- Ask if scholarship was promoted in the past.

Chair Perez Martinez- States scholarship opens at an odd time.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-40 has been approved.

Closed: 9:01 pm

**J. Discussion and Approval of SB 55-32: AN ACT TO AMEND CSUN BYLAWS
CHAPTER 801, SECTION 03: SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PERIOD**

Chair Perez Martiniez requests time for the approval of Senate Bill 55-32, An Act to Amend CSUN Bylaws Chapter 801, Section 03: Scholarship Application Period as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 9:01 pm

Senator Cameron- Presents SB 55-32 as found in the supplemental materials. Presents the bill that defines the scholarship period.

Senator Brooks- Asks about opening and closing of scholarships.

Senator Perez Martinez- States the Scholarship and Grants Committee has not been strict in opening and closing dates of scholarships.

Senator Cameron- Clarifies why dates were selected.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-32 has been approved.

Closed: 9:07 pm

**K. Discussion and Approval of SB 55-43: AN ACT TO AMEND CSUN BYLAWS
CHAPTER 801, SECTION 05: SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS**

Chair Perez Martiniez requests time for the approval of Senate Bill 55-43 , an act to amend CSUN Bylaws Chapter 801, Section 05: Scholarship Awards as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 9:07 pm

Chair Perez Martinez- Presents SB 55-43 as found in the supplemental materials. Goes over the bill and the limit to two scholarships per student.

Senator Brooks- Asks why an individual was given three scholarships instead of two.

Chair Perez Martinez- Talks about discussion amongst the committee.

Associate Director Munoz- Speaks as a former member of the Scholarships and Grants

committee. Talks about change needed to reach more individuals.

Senator Cameron takes a point of personal privilege at 9:12 pm.

Senator Brooks- Asks if the three time scholarship receipt is a one time occurrence.

Senator Davis- States they voted yes. States they only knew about the application and not back up applicants.

Senator Brooks- Asks Senator Davis if they are for the bill.

Senator Cameron returns from a point of personal privilege at 9:15 pm.

Senator Davis- Feels as if we shouldn't limit scholarships.

Chair Perez Martinez- Talks about low application numbers.

Senator Hubshman- Asks if there is an application limit.

Chair Perez Martinez- States no.

Senator Hubshman- Asks for the process if a person gets chosen for more than 2 scholarships.

Chair Perez Martinez- States it is up to the student.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a roll call vote due to mixed voting.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Yay

Senator Tuitlele- Yay

Senator Prieto- Yay

Senator Hubshman- Yay

Senator Melgoza- Yay

Senator Le- Nay

Senator Hankins- Yay

Senator Pennie- Yay

Senator Perez Martinez- Yay

Senator Davis- Nay

Senator Coss- Nay

Senator Navarro Mendoza- Yay

Senator Brooks- Nay

Senator Cameron- Yay

Senator Curry- Nay

Senator Yelvington- Yay

With a vote of 11-5-0 SB 55-43 has been approved.

Senator Perez Martinez- Thanks Senate for approving the bill.

Closed: 9:25 pm

L. Discussion and Approval of the Internal Affairs Operating Policy

Chair Brooks requests time for the discussion and approval of an updated IA Operating Policy as presented in the supplemental materials attached to this agenda. Deliberation will take place under this item. Amendments can and may be made to the proposed item.

Opened: 9:59 pm

Chair Brooks- Present the Internal Affairs Operating Policy as found within the supplemental materials. Goes over each change.

Senator Perez Martinez- Asks about providing supplemental materials during the meeting.

Chair Brooks- States supplemental materials provided during the meeting than before would not be considered.

Attorney General Rejas- Talks about due process. Advises Chair on supplemental material in the meeting when judging character.

Senator Perez Martinez- Suggests to change the operating policy.

SPPT Ibarra Lira- Gives interpretation. States it is up to the Senate.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the Internal Affairs Operating Policy has been approved.

Closed: 10:10 pm

M. Discussion and Approval of Proposed FY26 CSUN Budget Reallocations

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of the proposed FY24 CSUN Budget Reallocations. This approval will last until the end of the 2025-2026 fiscal year or until a new budget reallocation is suggested.

Opened: 10:10 pm

President Odunze- Refers to FY26 CSUN Budget Reallocations as found in the supplemental materials. Goes over each of the changes.

Senator Perez Martinez- States no money allocation for scholarships. States they will vote no.

Senator Cameron- Asks about funding for the Legislative and Civic Affairs Department.

Senator Curry- Point of order other Agenda Items need to be passed.

Associate Director Phui- Talks about events the Department plans to hold.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote.

With a vote of 15-1-0 the proposed FY26 CSUN Budget Reallocations has been approved.

Closed: 10:15 pm.

N. Discussion and Approval of the Office of the Attorney General Operating Policy

Attorney General Rejas requests time for the discussion and approval of an updated Office of the Attorney General Operating Policy as presented in the supplemental materials attached to this agenda. Deliberation will take place under this item. Amendments can and may be made to the proposed item.

Opened: 9:46 pm

Attorney General Rejas- Presents the Office of the Attorney General Operating Policy as found in the supplemental materials. Points out changes from previous operating policy.

Senator Perez Martinez- Point of order, need access to supplemental material.

Senator Curry- Asks about subsection stating "laws of Peru"

Attorney General Rejas- States they want Senate members to look through the operating policy.

Senator Brooks- States the operating policy looks great.

Attorney General Rejas- asks for suggestions on operating policy.

Senator Hubshman- Asks for clarification.

Attorney General- Suggests to redact the line.

Senator Hubsman motions to amend the Attorney General Operating Policy Section 3, Subsection A, Point Q to remove “Peru” from the line.

Senator Navarro Mendoza- seconds motion.

Senator Brooks- States to remove the whole line.

Senator Hunshman- rescinds motion.

Senator Navarro Mendoza- rescinds second.

Senator Curry- motions to amend the Attorney General Operating Policy Section 3, Subsection A, Point Q to read, “To ensure Nevada Open Meeting Law is followed and to work with CSUN officials to rectify any violations.

Senator Brooks- Seconds motion.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion.

With a vote of 16-0-0 the motion has been approved.

SPPT Ibarra Lira moves to a voiced vote

With a vote of 16-0-0 the Attorney General Operating Policy has been approved.

Closed: 9:59 pm.

ESTIMATED TIME: 120 minutes

8. PUBLIC COMMENT

INFORMATION ONLY

(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)

Opened: 10:26 pm

Nadya Perez Martinez- Promotes scholarship currently open.

Closed: 10:28 pm

9. SENATE SUMMATIONS

INFORMATION ONLY

Senators will be given the opportunity to deliver a short speech to the Senate that is relevant to the meeting at hand or containing announcements pertinent to the student body.

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

10. EXECUTIVE BOARD SUMMATIONS

INFORMATION ONLY

The President, Vice President, and Senate President will be given the opportunity to deliver a short speech to the Senate that is relevant to the meeting at hand or containing announcements pertinent to the student body.

ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes

11. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 10:28 pm.