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Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance:

Patel: I call this meeting to order on June 11, 2013. This is the Senate as a whole. First item of order is the Call to Order and the Pledge of Allegiance. So, let’s see here who wants to lead off? Just raise your hands, don’t all do it at once though. Patty, Mr. Giambelluca could you lead us off for the Pledge of Allegiance?

Senators: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands. One nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Patel: And please remain standing for a moment of silence. Thank you. We usually do those for fallen Bulls or usually bigger tragedies that happen during the year, so just keep those in mind.

First Roll Call:


Additions/Deletions and/or Clarifications to the Orders of the Day:

Patel: Moving down the list. So any additions or deletions to the orders of the day? Any motions? We have two Resolutions. I believe one is a Memorial Resolution, one is an Honorary Resolution. Senator Antar.

Antar: Motion to add the two Resolutions and as well as for the sake of accuracy the moment of silence after the Pledge of Allegiance.

Patel: Sure, thank you. Any objections to those three? Alright, seeing none we’ll just add them…would you like them before everything?

Antar: Before everything.

Patel: And I’ll just…I’ll abbreviate it for now but we’ll fix it in a second…we’ll fix it after the meeting. Alright any objections to accepting the order…to those changes? Seeing none, can I get a motion to accept the orders of the day? Senator Antar.

Antar: Motion to accept the orders of the day.
Patel: Any objections? Seeing none; moving on.

**Additions/Deletions and/or Changes to the Minutes:**

Patel: There were no Minutes sent out so can I have a motion to postpone those to the next week. Senator Kattih?

Kattih: *Motion to postpone.*


**Legislative Branch Report:**

Patel: Alright, Legislative Branch Report. Here’s the fun stuff, who wants to start off? Well we will start off with Ali.

Antar: Alright guys, Senate Committee on Rules. What did we do last…this week? We didn’t have a meeting last week. We went over our SOPs and elected a Vice Chair. So congratulations to Ms. Pelegrino for being named the Rules Vice Chair. In addition to that we have one item for business. We looked over the Conference Presentation Grant Programs SOPs. We had a few changes to make, we made those changes and they have been approved. So hopefully CPGP can run smoothly for the upcoming year. Enter the next week, what we have slotted up. We got Tittle VIII changes brought in by the Title VIII Ad-Hoc Committee last term. I’m thinking of digging it up into multiple Bills because there were quite a lot of changes, particularly in 806 and 807. And I think that would also be in line with some other goals we had in terms of what those articles…what those Titles apply to, or those Chapters apply to. They apply to the Sports Club Council and the College of Medicine Council. So we have some further plans for those as well. Also Title VII Ad-Hoc Committee had some changes, so we will go ahead and look over those, probably, hopefully. And I have some other SOPs to look over; I think the College of Medicine Council and the Sports Club Council, so yeah we got some busy days ahead of us. We also have the Resolutions up for you today, kinda fun rules. Yeah they are fun rules. That’s it.

Patel: Anything else? Any questions for the Chairman? Seeing none, moving on, Zein.

Kattih: For Appropriations and Audits, last week we looked at a Transfer Request and an Off-Campus Request, both of them were denied. This week we looked at a Transfer Request…two Transfer Requests and both of those were approved. One was from Judicial Branch and one was from Executive Branch. We also approved SOPs this week. And my committee is awesome, we elected Vice Chair Ms. Abraha, so congrats to her.

Patel: Thank you. Senator Aziz.

Aziz: JEC met last week, last Wednesday. We passed our SOPs and what else did we do? We elected our Vice Chair Karim Hussein, so he’s going to be our Vice Chair. And we learned about Constitutions and how to review them and we’re working on a reform of them. Tomorrow we have mock investigations, so we’re investigating your leadership in a mock investigation, so that’ll be fun. That’s it.

Patel: Any questions for Senator Aziz? Seeing none, we’ll get to Senator Alqasemi’s when she gets here. Senator Cocco.

Cocco: My new Vice Chair Ms. Burr is going to do the report.

Patel: Sure, Ms. Burr.
Burr: Alright, so we met last week and today. Last week we had a very long meeting putting together a survey. Are we going to talk about the survey later or should I…?

Patel: Go ahead

Burr: Okay, so I don’t know if you guys remember, but last Senate Meeting Shyam mentioned about the changes to the Marshall Student Center. So we created a survey to distribute to you guys and also students. We want to get your feedback and their feedback as far as their feelings on those changes. So that will be going out to you, hopefully soon. You should be looking for an email from Senator Aldridge…or Pro Temp. And please take the survey, and also forward it, social media, email, if you’re taking summer classes, etc. The idea is to get as much feedback as possible so keep that in mind when you get that email. Then our individual initiatives as far as each Committee Member goes, Senator Little is working on making Scholarship and Financial Aid more…information more available to students. Fernandez and Lee are putting together a PowerPoint to kind of explain what Student Government is, and you know hopefully get that out to students later on in the year. Senator Priest and Senator Cocco are working on creating/strengthening a connection between the University and our Freshmen and Transfer students; they are working on a survey as well. Senator Brown is working on building a relationship with the County Commissioner and our local Government. Senator Cano is starting a…not starting but working with a non-profit organization out of D.C. and helping students with post-grad unemployment, be looking for that in the Fall Semester. Senator Imam is working with ULS and hopefully bringing some speakers to campus. And I am meeting with the Deans of College of the Arts and College of Education and just building a relationship with those. That’s about it.

Cocco: Oh SGATO thank you for the food and taking the time for Committee.

Patel: Any more questions for UCGA? Cool, moving on, Pro Temp would you like to give your report.

Aldridge: Sure, as you see I have a bunch of stuff here. The first thing I may do is…we may possibly go back over this in General Business, but I’m going to pass out to each of you…I have 15 for this first round and 10 for the second round. They are Student Government Policy and Procedures. Some of the things you…or happened to see, an Electing Code or things that as you became Senators, this is what we have put together each year. A little more informal for what Statutes are but it’s possible explanations for how our Student Government is run. Even if it’s the Student Body President, or one of us as Chairs assumes President, or one of the Senators, or one of the Street Team Members, it’s all the way across the board. If you’re a SG member…If you’re a member of Student Government, then this sort of things applies to you. There’s a lot of things in there obviously we’re going to have to go through some more Resolutions in other General Business, so if you guys can read that and still pay attention to what is going on, that will be great. Also, I have two copies, the last two pages on the Policy and Procedures Book, it is something that we’ve not necessarily kept track of last year and I’ll admit that. They are the Commitment to Honor Sheet and the Acknowledgement of the Handbook and I also have 40 copies each…well enough for all of you of the Handbook…of the Acknowledgement page, and of the Commitment to Honor. And what I’m going to do, sometime throughout this meeting as well, is pass that around. It is the exact same language as it’s on there, but this way you guys can sign these copies that are separate and you guys can keep on those copies so throughout the year you can go back and remember what the Commitment to Honor is and what the Handbook Acknowledgement means. I’ll pass more on. The food at the Committees, that’s another thing. I think Gary as well; me and Gary worked back and forth with the Chairs to get you guys some food for the Committees as recognition of your hard work. We have bought padfolios and promotional items between the end of last week, yesterday and today everything has been bought for and the artwork is approved, and they’re printing it now. So hopefully by the next meeting they will be here for you, if not they will be here the meeting after that. But padfolios is just in general, that’s what we give to the Senators, along with the Polos, but the promotional items will be for positive points as well. So look forward to that, I know it’s a lot of
goodies. It’s both recognition of all you guys’ hard work so far and sort of the impetus to keep going through the year. There are probably three other things I can touch on now.

Cocco: Can you talk about the dinning?

Aldridge: Thank you, yes. We met; I…myself, President Warmke and Vice President Sandoval met with Jeffrey Mack with…I guess…food dining services, and they are planning on branching…not branching…

Cocco: Expanding.

Aldridge: Expanding, thank you, I’m losing my….Expanding the Argo’s Fresh Food lounge. It’s going to be during the Summer after…hopefully during orientation, during the times when the people, obviously the orientation people aren’t there. Between that and the first of school, so they are going to expand the first floor by 100 new seats in the south part of the Fresh Food lounge they are going to expand that and take the court yard out and put 100 new seats there. So look forward to that. If you guys have any ideas on, in terms of interior design, things you want to see there, could be some representation of Bull Pride…I know that architecture is really going to settle upon reapproving of what Mr. Mack proposed, but if you guys have any ideas for something we could put there, they’re obviously going to put T.Vs and stuff like it sort of updated with all the other residence…or the other dining halls. But if you have any ideas, just let me know.

Cocco: Portfolio?

Aldridge: Padfolios, I already mentioned that…

Cocco: You already mentioned that?

Aldridge: Pictures, thank you again for taking the pictures. I know that…it’s one of those things that we need to update the new term; we need to serve a fresh chart and that’s…I mean its small, maybe a little silly. But I think it’s important and a way to get you guys going and knowing it’s a new term. So I think that’s it, and I’m sure I will remember something. As always if you have any questions just let me know. Thanks.

Patel: Alright, for my report. So let’s see…for the people who have…I guess a strong constituency in the Org Office, the Org computers were all taken care off, between the time that we met. So they all have new computers, the bump down process is going to replace all 14 kiosks computers that sit throughout the Marshall Center. So all the open use computers are not going to be open use, but you still have to sign in. Let’s see, what else? There are computers throughout…like SG will have new computers. I don’t know how you guys…do you guys want a computer, a specific Senate…open Senate computer in the office? Like I don’t know if you guys will ever use it, but it’s like…

Cocco: Comes up there…

Patel: And so if you guys don’t want it, what we could do is just expend that space for just open working. Like we don’t need to put a computer there. So that’s something you guys can think about, we will talk about that more, I guess, when we are just talking about it in education or experience or something. But that’s something else. Moving through, essentially we met with Tech Smart and that’s another thing, I’ll just explain to you later on the experience, because it’s all just factual knowledge handed down from Jeff or handed down from stuff we’ve been doing. It’s really long but I feel like it’s more easily explained when it’s not completely formal…I’ll just be able to make it very laminent. It’s really complex problem, it took us forever to figure out. But yeah, other than that…let’s see we will be talking to the Bucks pretty soon. We made sure…that we’re gonna go for, hopefully right now, we’ll talk to, I guess, Will and Scott directly. But right now looks like probably the Monday, like it will be a Monday night game against the Dolphins. And so we’ll move…we’ll figure out what kind of deal they want to make for all of that kind of stuff, but again it’s not in stone yet until
we figure out how we’re going to work with that. Also, there are stuff I’ll cover later on because it’s a lot of teaching stuff that we’ve handed down already. I know you guys have a lot of paper, one thing I’m going to put on the record, I hate wasting paper. If there is trash on the floor, I will find you. Haha no. Also, really quick before we get into real business, this is a really nice room, so any trash you guy’s leave in here I understand it’s going to get tossed out, but it’s not like the janitors are our maids. They make sure that the building is livable...like we can walk in it and we can feel comfortable in it. But that doesn’t mean that they clean up after us, so please just push your stuff in and take the trash off the table. That’s all I’m asking, nothing else you have to do, y’all don’t have to vacuum, you don’t have to sweep, it’s like that’s it. But other than that, that’s my whole report. Any questions? Cool, thank you.

**Executive Branch Report:**

Patel: Moving down, Executive Branch Report.

Sandoval: Well hello, I’m Scott Sandoval. This is…

Emerson: Oh, hi I’m Natalie. I’m on the Transition Staff for Programming.

Sandoval: We came here to give you a idea. It’s called Ready, Set, Glow. Here you go. And she’ll tell you all about it. So, yeah you can go ahead.

Emerson: So if any of you were around last year, it’s kind of like last year Yo Glow, but its kinda been revamped a little bit. So this year’s Ready, Set, Glow will be kicking off Summer B, to kind of welcome new freshmen and bring awareness of Student Government to USF. It will be held at Magnolia Fields, which is across from Juniper Poplar Hall, on Saturday June 29th, from 8pm to midnight. It’s going to be a really fun glow themed event. We’ll have a bunch of different activities: glow volleyball, dodge ball, bowling, wormhole and latter ball. There will be lots of free food and giveaways. So if any of you are interested in handing out, since our Transition Staff is pretty small, you will be getting an email in the near future. And if you just want to come out and have fun, that’s great too. If you have any questions, feel free to email Scott. Yes.

Sandoval: Will and I are going to hire the Lakeland Governor. We’ve appointed them, with a hiring committee, (inaudible) and Abdool Aziz. So I will see what happens with that. I’m not quite sure where they will go, but I’m sure they will go to the right Committee. Besides that we’ve been doing Orientation, planning this great event and we’re going to get started with hiring, probably in the next couple weeks. So that’s where we are with that. Do you have any questions? Oh, yes?

Belizaire: Do you guys have an alternate location for Ready, Set, Go? Cuz I know…oh yeah…

Patel: And just say your last name because we still have a clerk.

Belizaire: Senator Belizaire. Do you guys have an alternate location for the Ready, Set, Glow? Cuz I know I wanted to volunteer for it last year for it but it was raining. So do you guys have an alternate location?

Natalie: Right, Yeah. Since last year did get rained out, we’re looking to have an alternate location the same day in Ballroom A or C.

Sandoval: It’s going to be at Magnolia, did we say that?

Natalie: Yeah.

Patel: Any questions for the Executive Branch? Seeing none, thank you.

**Judicial Branch Report:**

Patel: Judicial Branch Report.

Hamed: My name is Sammy, for the record, I’m an Associate Justice for the Court. I’m going to report to you guys today. So for our efforts in Outreach, we made the front page of the Tampa Tribune last weekend. So we’re really excited about that. You could read the article; it’s on the SG Website. There is a link to it under our part, it’s about just our parking and fees and stuff like that. Along with the website, we’ve been updating that. It’s going slow and steady, but it’s going. We’re getting our pictures and information up there, and trying to get our Minutes up there soon. We went before the Appropriations and Audits Committee on Monday, and our Budget Transfer request was approved, so thank you. We’re using the money to stock up for Bull Markets for food and stuff like that, college students. We had a meeting with Dan from Marketing last week to talk about our new parking video. So we will be videoing that tomorrow and talking about the script about that tomorrow. So tomorrow we have our Outreach meeting and that’s at 5 o’clock and right after that we have our first ROP Revision Committee Meeting and that’s at 6 o’clock, so if you want to come by feel free to do so. We’ve been helping out Orientation with Exec and Marketing and stuff, we’re handing our Parking 101 brochures for all the Freshmens, we won’t get them any tickets hopefully. And the Plunge Meetings are happening soon, so if you guys have ideas for Plunge you should tell the head of your branches, like Adam or Shyam or something like that. That’s it.


Cocco: The Outreach is at 5 tomorrow?

Hamed: Yes.

Cocco: Any idea of what you’re going to be talking about tomorrow?

Hamed: We’re going to be going over our script for the new parking appeal video.

Cocco: Okay, no parking forms coming soon?

Hamed: Probably not this Summer. I think we’re going to stick with the Orientations and we’ll probably have our schedule for parking forms and Bull Markets done pretty soon for the Fall.

Patel: Senator Scharon.

Scharon: What is Plunge?

Patel: We’ll get to that in the teaching part of this. Thank you.

Hamed: It’s fun, you should go. I’ve never been but I heard it’s good.

Scharon: Okay.

Patel: It’s part of the reason why we’re having education. Cool, thank you.

**Open Forum:**
Patel: Moving down, Open Forum. Any Senator or anybody from the Gallery have anything they would like to say. Guys, you guys are dressed so nicely, I’m so happy…like this is…as soon as we get like the bigger named people coming down, like Gary and all of them talking before you guys, they will be appreciative that you guys are all look snazzy and sharp.

Cocco: BOG, next week.

Patel: Yes, BOG is coming to USF next week. Yeah they are coming here to decide…essentially there is a BOT which is a Board of Trustees for each University, and the Board for Governors presides over all the Universities of Florida. So they’re all meeting here next week on the 18th, to essentially decide the allocations for CITF and what not. So I strong encourage, we all go…as many people as possibly if you’re free…we’ll send out follow up emails because like we will figure out exactly what times, exactly what rooms. We will let you guys all know. But it’s going to be fun and that’s the whole reason we are having this survey sent out. It’s a strong place to push for our own advocacy, like to advocate for the students. Cool, any more open forum? Obviously you aren’t allowed to talk in the meeting, but I’m just talking about like before. I just got a look for Adam. Like anybody else? Senator Aldridge.

Aldridge: Okay, that’s one thing I want to touch on. And I pardon if I miss pass you like if you said everything, or if you said it all. The survey that we’ve created, I know UCGA they spent last week creating it and this week we approved it…we’re definitely going to send out as many reports as possibly about that. We’re going to put it on the SG Facebook page, on Twitter, on the post there and we’re going to hopefully send that to all of you. I know this is probably going to be said multiple times, but I can’t stress enough, make sure you send the survey to as many people at USF do you know…as you know. Obviously they need to be educated about it, but we have a paragraph there that tells them everything about it. So after you’re educated please be sure to tell everyone about it, tell them why it’s important, tell them why it matters to them, give them the information…don’t necessarily spread the votes, we’re not asking that. We’re asking that you give them as much information so they could make an educated decision because it’s a lot of money. From a student perspective it’s a lot of money that’s going to be decided on. And while I’m at it, I remembered everything I was going to say. One, Senate Clerk interviews, I know we talked about it. We’ve had 2 interviews so far, we’re having 3 interviews over the next two days and that will be decided hopefully by the end of this week. So, the next Senate Meeting you all should see a Clerk. Yay for that. I’m going to pass out these things in a moment. Oh, at the end of the meeting when I do pass them out, I don’t want to like interrupt…I know we may vote on an unmoderated part of this, but whenever I pass this out don’t like flip through them. When we get done with the announcements and the main, just pass them down here and I will pick them out…like at the end of the rows, so that makes for less confusion.

Patel: Thank you, anybody else? Senator Cocco.

Cocco: I had the privilege of going on a Dinner Cruise, which all of you were invited, with the Coaches; Brown was there. And they are looking to do more collaboration with us in Student Government, in terms of getting more people out there and more promotional events. Coaches Heath, Coach Prado, baseball, and Taggart and what not, we’re trying to get the fight joy at Ray Jay screened because most of us don’t know what the fight song is. So, we need help with that to get Athletics to make sure that this is what the students what. Is that correct? Is that what we got from that?

Unknown: Yeah.

Cocco: Anything else I’m missing?

Unknown: Increase attendance at the baseball games.
Cocco: Right. Golf Coach gets more…Oh we’re having…we’re hosting the NCAA Golf Tournament here in 2013, at the Claw. So that’s big. We’re getting on the map so follow up with me about Athletics and we can try to get the ball rolling. No pun intended.

General Business:

1. Resolutions on First Reading

   a) SB [R] 54-001 Janee Nathan Memorial

   Patel: Alright, thank you, anybody else? If not we’ll move on. So the first thing on the Agenda is essentially a Memorial Resolution…this was a student passed away. And so your Committee on Rules, makes essentially a Resolution on behalf of them…like on our behalf to them, saying that how we’re like very sorry that it happened and that they were a fellow Bull. And this is essentially framed and then sent to the family of those we’ve lost. So, alright and then also essentially everything we do has to get voted on, but when it’s something in this situation we just approve by acclamation or it passes by acclamation. Which just means as a consensus as a whole, unless anybody objects, which…you just make a motions to pass by acclamation, I’m not pressing you but that’s usually the process. So if you guys want to handle it I’m more than happy. So what he’ll do is he’s going to actually read the bill to you guys so you guys know what happened.

   Antar: To honor the death of our fellow Bull, Janee Nathan. Be it resolved by the Senate of the University of South Florida Student Government assembled, Whereas, this assembly, with unfeigned sorrow, has heard of the passing of Janee Nathan, Whereas, in her death we grieve the loss of a great person who exemplified the characteristics of moral values and high spirits in all aspects of her life. Whereas, we honor an individual who, despite her short time at USF, was able to positively affect many lives in the University community. Whereas, as a tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Student Senate assembled will have a moment of silence on June 11th, 2013. Whereas, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to the family of the deceased, to the University of South Florida Tampa Campus, and to the College of Arts & Sciences thereof. Therefore, be it resolved, that our thoughts and sincere condolences are with the friends and family of Janee Nathan.

   Patel: Any questions?

   Scharon: You have the word his life and it’s a she. Okay.

   Patel: Any more questions?

   Priest: Can I offer a friendly amendment, like to this. Can we change the word death to passing? Like I just think of death as very…

   Cocco: Active.

   Scharon: And the his.

   Patel: Okay all those things we could take care off. Anything else…or a motion?

   Kattih: Motion to pass by acclamation?

   Patel: Any objections? Seeing none, thank you.

   b) SB[R] 54-002 Dr. Dee Siscoe Commemoration
Patel: And then moving down the list, the Commemoration of Siscoe. Which I don’t believe many of you guys know but she’s also…she’s leaving this year at the end of the Summer I believe…

Antar: Next week.

Patel: Next week?

Alqasemi: Next week is her good bye…

Patel: I believe she is…well regardless she is leaving to go back to her Alma Mater. But she served here as the Interim Vice President of Student Affair, who is essentially the boss of Gary and the boss of every department around here.

Cocco: I thought we were his boss.

Patel: Huh?

Cocco: I’m sorry; I thought we were his boss…No I’m kidding.

Patel: Alright, go ahead.

Antar: Be it resolved by the Senate of the University of South Florida Student Government assembled, Whereas, the Student Government Senate recognizes the accomplishments and services offered over the course of the past 2 years by Dr. Dee Siscoe in her positions as the Associate Vice President of Student Development and afterwards Interim Vice President for Student Affairs. Whereas, we thank Dr. Siscoe for all her hard work directly supervising numerous departments such as Veterans Services, Planning and Assessment, Students with Disabilities Services, Center for Leadership and Civic Engagement, New Student Connections, and Mentoring Initiatives and Student Success and for providing high energy, visionary, and innovative leadership to the entirety of Student Affairs and all of its departments. Whereas, we thank Dr. Siscoe for all that she has done championing the voice of the students, advocating on their behalf, and assuring that their experience here at the University of South Florida was never compromised. Whereas, we appreciate all of Dr. Siscoe’s work with the Activity and Service Fee Recommendation Committee to insure that Student Government could successfully allocate $14 million in Activity & Service Fees. Therefore, be it resolved by the Senate of the University of South Florida Student Government Assembled, that on behalf of the student body, we thank Dr. Dee Siscoe for her time here at the University of South Florida, extend our gratitude for all she has done, express our deepest thanks for all her work, and wish her well in all of her future endeavors as the Vice President of Student Affairs at Missouri State University.


Lee: Motion to pass by acclamation?

Patel: Speak up.

Lee: Motion to pass by acclamation.

Patel: Any objections? Seeing none, this has also been passed.

Cocco: Mr. Chair…Chairman Antar, I’m sorry. For the next Resolution could we do one for the Big East Coach of the Year, Chris Malloy?

Antar: Absolutely.
Cocco: That’s cool. Golf.

Antar: We could work on that together.

Cocco: Alright, I just remembered from the cruise. Thank you.

Antar: No problem.

Patel: Thank you guys. Oh and then any other new Senators that want to jump on, or even older Senators that want to learn how to write, that’s the man you want to talk to. Because there is a lot of resolutions we could get out of the way, but not out of the way because obviously it serves a purpose.

2. Senate Teachings

Patel: Alright, moving down. So all of you guys should have gotten the two page sheet…it’s like stapled, it’s called Proviso, Chapter 804. That’s essentially the biggest contract we have with every Student Org. I know it’s written very…it’s written very politically and it’s a lot of jargon more than anything else. We’ll get through it really quickly…I’ll just…I’ll make it very…I’ll bring it to our general ears. And we also have this, all our numbers. This should be the most important thing to all of you, because this is where we spent our $14 million for this year. So this is the money you will be auditing, this is the money you will be tracking, this is the money you guys represent. So we will follow through with it throughout the year. Other than that I sent you a list of everything…like just a brief definition of normal things, we’ve talked about normal things that each Committee does. So that way if you guys ever caught up with what is this, what is that, you can fix it all at Committee. Because essentially right now we have no pressing business from the Executive Branch, because normally what we do right now, we usually have confirmations, we should be working on those but they are behind so we’re going to catch up…we’re going to make sure we get ahead and get all our work out of the way. Alright, cool. And then this yellow booklet here is essentially…it’s called Policies and Procedures, but this is the handbook. So everything in here is more for paid employees essentially, because it talks about how you get terminated. None of you guys get terminated, that a pretty cool thing, but that is something we will go over more off the record again because I don’t want to bore you with random stuff that’s never going to happen to you. You’re never going to get terminated from clocking in, so those are the kind of things we can just avoid. But other than that so, we’ll start off with I guess learning the first sheet of paper. If I can get a motion for an unmoderated caucus, we can just run through some of these sheets. Senator Strenges.

Strenges: Motion for an unmoderated caucus.

Patel: Name your time. Twenty minutes?

Strenges: Twenty minutes.

Patel: Thank you sir. Any objections to entering unmoderated caucus at 6:54 pm. Seeing none, thank you.

3. Education

4. Experience

Final Roll Call:

[Gavel]
Patel: I call this meeting back to order at 8:14pm. We are now on the minutes, because we just started the recorder...we’re on the Minutes again, we just came out of unmoderated caucus and talked about simple Senate education kind of things. Talked about the A&S Fees, talked about how we use it. Briefly went over each Org that is funded, each department that is funded and answered general questions, nothing major. But any questions that want to be on the record, or after, that’s fine? Alright, cool. I’ll motion for a Final Roll Call. Get your clickers.

Cocco: Was this helpful?

Multiple Senators: Yes.

Cocco: Or did we waste your time?

Patel: I mean you can say it…okay we…Alright, click one if you’re here.

Alqasemi: We have some that are not working.

Patel: Okay you guys, let’s keep it down. Whenever you have clickers out you can’t talk. Everyone’s clicked in? Cool. 32.

**Adjournment:**

Patel: I’ll take a motion to adjourn. Senator Antar.

Antar: Motion to adjourn.

Patel: Any objections? Seeing none, Senate is now adjourned at 8:16pm.

**Adjournment called by Senate President Patel at 8:16pm.**

*Transcribed by Senate Clerk Nadima Ally.*