

## **Proposed Changes to the SGA Constitution**

### **4.2 The composition of the Senate**

#### ***Current Language:***

The number of Senators shall be quantified by 1 Senator per every 100 Current Undergraduate Students, of which 15% (rounded down to the nearest integer) shall be First Year Senators in their first year at NMT. There must be a total of three (3) GSA Representatives to be designated by the GSA. This number of Senators shall be recalculated every 2 years starting at the beginning of the Fall 2020 semester.

#### ***Proposed Change:***

The number of current Senators shall not exceed 18. At least 15% (rounded down to the nearest integer) of Senators shall be First Year Senators in their first year at NMT. There must be a total of three (3) GSA Representatives to be designated by the GSA.

### **4.11 Salaries (d)**

#### ***Current Language:***

(d) Senators and Associate Justices are entitled to receive a financial stipend totaling a maximum of \$200.00 USD for each of the Spring and Fall sessions and a maximum of \$100.00 USD for the Summer session. A Senator or Justice cannot get paid more than \$500.00 USD for a full term.

- i. Senators or Justices who receive a leave of absence over the Summer session forfeit their right to receive the summer stipend.

#### ***Proposed Change:***

(d) Senators are entitled to receive a financial stipend totaling no more than \$500.00 USD for each of the Spring and Fall sessions. A Senator cannot get paid more than \$1,000.00 USD for a full term.

(e) Associate Justices are entitled to receive a financial stipend totaling no more than \$200.00 USD for each of the Spring and Fall sessions. An Associate Justice cannot get paid more than \$400.00 USD for a full term.