

**SENATE BILL 2024-25-29**

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| Date Presented:2/28/2025 | **Ratification and Renaming of Article VI of The Civic Engagement Committee Bylaws.** |
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**WHEREAS,** The University of Colorado Denver Student Government Association (SGA) is committed to ensuring that all governing documents are clear and straightforward to interpret for all members and constituents, and;

**WHEREAS,** There is outdated information, grammatical errors, and updates needed to be made to the Civic Engagement Committee Bylaws to best serve ourselves and the student body, and;

**WHEREAS,** Article VI outlines the expectations of the Civic Engagement Committee and establishes the current policies governing its operations, and;

**WHEREAS,** Last year during the 2023-2024 session bill SENATE BILL 2023-24-13 named “A Bill to Amend the Senate Bylaws to Include a Delegation Rule” introduced a miss policy. and;

**WHEREAS,** The current Civic Engagement Committee Bylaws does not have a clear established process for implementing and issuing misses, nor do they specify the circumstances under which the Chair may distribute them.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED,** A new section F in article VI will be added and it will state. “The Chair holds the authority to issue misses; however, a miss may only be given if a clear expectation was set and a defined timeline was provided. A miss can only be issued if both of these requirements were not met and/or if the criteria outlined in the miss guidelines of the SGA Constitution are satisfied.”

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,** A new subsection (a) in Article VI Section F will be added and it will state “If a miss is given the civic member holds the right to appeal with the Judicial Committee”

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,** Article VI shall be renamed to “ Attendance, Meetings, and Misses”

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY ENACTED,** that this amendment will ensure comprehension and organization of the Civic Engagement Committee Bylaws so future Committee members have a clear understanding of the miss guidelines.

Ratified by the Senate:

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