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First Reading:

December 3, 2015

Committee Action:

Passed Favorably, 5-0-0

Second Reading:

January 14, 2016

Third Reading:

January 21, 2016

Final Vote:

Passed, 39-0-0

University of Central Florida
Forty-Eighth Student Body Senate
Bill 48-32

[Funding 30 members of the National Society of Black Engineers to travel to the 2016 National Society of Black Engineers National Conference in Boston, MA, from March 23-27, 2016]

- .01 **WHEREAS**, National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) has been a Registered Student Organization since 1975;
- .02 **WHEREAS**, The mission of NSBE is to increase the number of culturally responsible black engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally, and positively impact the community;
- .03 **WHEREAS**, NSBE currently has 70 active, dues-paying members;
- .04 **WHEREAS**, NSBE members pay national dues of \$18.00 and chapter dues of \$30.00 annually;
- .05 **WHEREAS**, The National Conference will provide students with possible internship opportunities and the ability to attend professional development workshops in order to network with companies within the engineering community;
- .06 **WHEREAS**, At the conference, NSBE members will be participating in workshops and competitions that exemplify succeeding professionally and positively impacting the community;
- .07 **WHEREAS**, University of Central Florida (UCF) makes up a very large portion of NSBE's southeast region, making representation important;
- .08 **WHEREAS**, NSBE members will be lodging at the Aloft Boston Seaport in Boston, MA;
- .09 **WHEREAS**, NSBE received a 15% Funding Sanction via Senate Bill 47-114; and
- .10 **WHEREAS**, National Society of Black Engineers received \$1,000.00 via FAO Allocation 47-137, and \$5,988.75 via Bill 47-114 in Activity and Service Fee Funds in the 2015-2016 Fiscal Year;

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.17 **THEREFORE, BE IT**

.18 **ENACTED**, by the Forty-Eighth Student Senate of the University of Central Florida that \$9,790.30 be allocated to National Society of Black Engineers from the Registration and Travel Account according to the following breakdown:

Item	Description	Cost
Airfare	(\$380.20 x 30 members)	\$11,406.00
Hotel	(\$182.00 x 5 nights x 8 rooms)	\$7,280.00
Registration	(\$145.00 x 30 members)	\$4,350.00
Total Cost		\$23,036.00
Total National Society of Black Engineers Contribution		\$13,245.70
Total Senate Contribution		\$9,790.30

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- .29 **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That no funds be spent on Registration;
- .30 **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That all unspent funds revert back to their originating account by April 28, 2016; and
- .31 **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That National Society of Black Engineers completes a Post-Funding Form and returns it to the Operations Review Committee (ORC) by May 5, 2016, as a condition of receiving funding.
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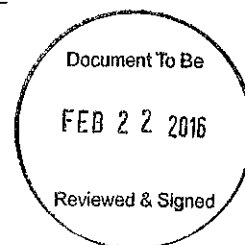
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