

ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE
SESSION LIV TERM I

IN THE SENATE
BILL 585
BY
ALEX DIVINEY, COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
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This bill gives the Outreach and Diversity Committee the responsibility and authority to create press releases.

SENATE RULEBOOK
ARTICLE II—ASISU SENATOR
Section 4—Senate Committees

- C. The Outreach and Diversity Committee: The Outreach and Diversity Committee shall be responsible for interacting with and representing outreach campuses. The Outreach and Diversity Committee is also responsible for reaching out to all students regardless of location, through activities and events. The Outreach and Diversity Committee shall be responsible for upkeep of ASISU social media pages as well as overseeing the maintenance of ASISU Speaks on KISU. The committee chair or co-chairs shall be responsible for assigning committee members to write press releases on topics as directed by the Senate pro-tempore. The committee member assigned to creating a press release must not be the chair or a co-chair, unless so decided by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the Diversity and Outreach committee. The committee chair or co-chairs are to determine the definition of the term “press release”. Once a press release is created by a committee member, it must be introduced in some form to the committee during a committee meeting. A press release shall be approved for release by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Outreach and Diversity committee. A press release from the Outreach and Diversity committee shall be topical, reasonably neutral, and of an academic, descriptive tone. This is regardless of the nature of the topic. Additionally, the Outreach and Diversity Committee shall promote and advocate diversity and inclusion at Idaho State University, which can include planning events, educational sessions, or projects that will aid diversity. At least three (3) senators, representing a minimum of two (2) colleges, shall be selected by the Senate pro-tempore by the second (2nd) Senate meeting of each semester to serve on the Senate Outreach and Diversity Committee. The Senate pro-tempore shall select, during caucus, one (1) member of the Outreach and Diversity Committee or two (2) co-chairs to serve as chair of the Outreach and Diversity Committee.

DATE OF FIRST INTRODUCTION: (DATE FIRST INTRODUCED TO SENATE)

SENATE ACTION: _____ DATE: _____

ASISU PRESIDENT: _____ DATE: _____

ASISU SECRETARY: _____ DATE: _____

