4th General Assembly of the

University of Baltimore Student Government Association

Date Introduced: November 18th, 2015



Date Voted Upon: NOV 1 8 2015 Academic Year: 2015 - 2016 Senator of the Month Achievement Act 1 2 Bill # FA - 02-15 3 4 Prime Sponsor(s): Senator Charles Thornton 5 Cosponsor(s): Senator William Shorter 6 Committee: SGA 7 Bill Type: □ Budget Bill □ Finance Bill ■ Senate Bill ☐ Government Bill 8 9 WHEREAS, attendance for SGA related meetings and events has been difficult to achieve; and, 10 11 WHEREAS, organizational and social science based research has found intrinsic motivators most 12 effective in encouraging effective task engagement; and, 13 14 WHEREAS, universities across the United States have successfully implemented student government 15 organized programs highlighting individual student government association senatorial achievements; 16 and. 17 18 WHEREAS, University System of Maryland Policy Bylaw Section V-6.00 and Policy Bylaw Section V-1.00 19 governs and encourages student governmental activities that lead to educational and cultural 20 objectives; and, 21 22 WHEREAS, the University of Baltimore Strategic Plan of 2014-2017, as part of its mission statement, 23 seeks to establish a foundation for lifelong learning, personal development, and social responsibility. 24 25 THEREFORE LET IT BE ENACTED THAT: 26 27 SECTION 1. The Student Government Association Executive Board shall implement and administrate, in 28 conjunction with the Senate, a program honoring individual senatorial accomplishments, and nominated 29 by any student, faculty, or staff through Senator of the Month awards. 30 31 **SECTION 2.** The Student Government Association Executive Board shall select, from said nominations, by majority vote, one Senator per month during each Spring and Fall semester, one senator per winter 32 33 session, and one Senator per Summer semester, as Senator of the Month. 34 35 SECTION 3. Nominations from student, faculty, or staff shall be accepted from the first to last day of 36 each calendar month for the Fall and Spring semesters, and the first to last scheduled date of each 37 winter or summer session or semester. 38 39 SECTION 4. Selections for Senator of the Month shall be chosen from the following criteria: 40 I. Senate and Committee meeting attendance. II. Assistance with SGA sponsored events. III. Community 41 service, either within or outside the campus community. IV. Passed legislation that benefits the greater 42 student body.

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SECTION 5. The Student Government Executive Board shall announce the selection during the first
Senate meeting following the preceding month or Summer/Winter semester session.

SECTION 6. The Student Government Association Executive Board shall present the recipient with a
Certificate of Achievement in declaration of their status as Senator of the Month.

ACTION TAKEN:

SGA Vice President

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