CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO._____________________

Sponsor(s): Betsy Henke (SBP), Brian Clifford
Co-Sponsor(s):
Filed on ___________ and assigned to the Standing Committee on Membership.
Considered on ____________________, with a final disposition of ________.

Resolution to Appoint The Chief Justice of the Student Body Supreme Court of Indiana University

WHEREAS, The Student Body Supreme Court fulfills important constitutional duties in an effort to further the goals and ideals of the Indiana University Student Association;

WHEREAS, Chief Justice Brian Clifford, after five-and-a-half years of service to the Indiana University Student Association and the Student Body Supreme Court of Indiana University, has resigned his position due to his upcoming graduation from the Indiana University School of Law – Bloomington;

WHEREAS, Associate Justice and External Affairs Committee Chairwoman Meghan Dwyer, the next most senior member of the Court, having served the Court and Indiana University for three years as a congressionally-approved Associate Justice of the Court, has shown herself to be a highly qualified and capable Justice and one who is prepared to lead to Court during the next two years;

WHEREAS, Brian Clifford, with consultation from the other Justices of the Court, has recommended to the Student Body President that Justice Dwyer be appointed to take his position as Chief Justice of the Court;

WHEREAS, Student Body President Betsy Henke has approved Justice Dwyer’s elevation to Chief Justice and has nominated the same to the Indiana University Student Association Congress;

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article IV, Section 1 of the Indiana University Student Association Constitution, justices of the Student Body Supreme Court, including the Chief Justice, must be “appointed by the President and confirmed by the Congress”

THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED, that the Associate Justice Meghan Dwyer be confirmed by a majority vote of the Indiana University Student Association Congress as The Chief Justice of the Student Body Supreme Court of Indiana University.