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3 **The Student Association of the University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma**

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8 **SGA Gun Control Resolution 2021**

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10 WHEREAS: The Student Association Senate is the representative body for the students of the
11 University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma and the unified voice that affirms students’
12 concerns; and,

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14 WHEREAS: Campus carry can have negative psychological effects on students’ mental health
15 and interfere with their learning experience. Considering the negative effects of the
16 COVID-19 Pandemic on student mental health, it would cause for extra unnecessary
17 stress if campus carry was allowed.

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19 WHEREAS: The status quo gun regulations have successfully kept students safe and campus
20 carry threatens that security.

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22 WHEREAS: Allowing the President to decide if specific students can carry maintains safety and
23 fairness and prevents bad faith attempts at meeting some sort of necessary criteria to
24 carry on campus.

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26 WHEREAS: The current campus security solely provides sufficient protection against threats
27 while campus carry would threaten that protection.

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29 **NOW THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT ASSOCIATION**
30 **SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND ARTS OF OKLAHOMA THAT:**

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32 SECTION 1: The Student Government Association will maintain the campus weapons
33 regulations currently in place.

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35 SECTION 2: Copies of this act shall be distributed to the following: All Current members of the
36 USAO Government Association (SGA) Senate, all current members of the SGA
37 Executive Council, all current member of the SGA Supreme Court, and all current
38 advisors of the SGA.

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