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A FINANCE BILL

TO ALLOCATE A MAXIMUM OF TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS ($27,000.00) FROM THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT SURPLUS ACCOUNT TO PROVIDE 21 TABLES AND 80 CHAIRS FOR STUDENT USE ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF MIDDLETON LIBRARY.

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, THERE IS CURRENTLY A SHORTAGE OF STUDYING SPACE WITH ONLY HAVING 32 TABLES AND NUMEROUS AREAS OF WASTED SPACE ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF THE MIDDLETON LIBRARY; AND

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, LSU STUDENTS WANT MORE STUDYING SPACE AND THIS BILL WILL FUND ADDITIONAL QUIET STUDYING SPACE; AND

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, DURING WEEKS OF HIGH VOLUME STUDYING THERE ARE EITHER STUDENTS ON THE FLOOR STUDYING OR THERE ARE TABLES UNAVAILABLE FOR QUIET GROUP STUDYING; AND

PARAGRAPH 4: WHEREAS, THIS BILL WILL FUND TABLES AND CHAIRS TO CREATE A NEW LAYOUT THAT INCLUDES QUIET GROUP STUDY AREAS IN THE MIDDLE AND ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE THIRD FLOOR OF MIDDLETON LIBRARY; AND

PARAGRAPH 5: WHEREAS, THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE THIRD FLOOR OF MIDDLETON LIBRARY WILL ALSO BECOME QUIET STUDY SPACE WITH STUDY CARRELS FOR INDIVIDUALS; AND

PARAGRAPH 6: WHEREAS, EACH TABLE, MEASURING 42 INCHES WIDE BY 72 INCHES LONG, WILL COST EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS ($800.00); AND

PARAGRAPH 7: WHEREAS, EACH CHAIR WILL COST ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS ($126.00); AND

PARAGRAPH 8: WHEREAS, THE PURCHASING OF 21 TABLES AND 80 CHAIRS ALONG WITH THE PRE-EXISTING 32 TABLES WILL CREATE 53 AREAS FOR STUDENT USE.

PARAGRAPH 9: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE THAT A MAXIMUM OF TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS ($27,000.00) FROM THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT SURPLUS ACCOUNT WILL BE ALLOCATED TO FUND THE PURCHASE OF 21 TABLES AND 80 CHAIRS FOR THE THIRD FLOOR OF MIDDLETON LIBRARY; AND
PARAGRAPH 10: This bill shall take effect upon passage by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the LSU Student Senate and signature by the President, upon lapse of time for presidential action, or if vetoed by the President and subsequently approved by the Senate, on the date of such approval.