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3 **STUDENT SENATE**

4 **F13RS**

5 **SGR No. 9**

6 **BY: SENATOR BAUMGARDNER AND SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE SCHWARTZENBURG**

7 **A RESOLUTION**

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9 **TO URGE AND REQUEST LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND**
10 **MECHANICAL COLLEGE (LSU) TO ESTABLISH A UNITED STATES PASSPORT OFFICE ON**
11 **CAMPUS**
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14 **PARAGRAPH 1:** WHEREAS, LSU STUDENTS CONSISTENTLY COMPETE AND
15 PERFORM ON AN INTERNATIONAL LEVEL, AND;

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17 **PARAGRAPH 2:** WHEREAS, THE EDUCATION RECEIVED FROM LSU IS HIGHLY
18 VALUED AND PROVEN YEAR AFTER YEAR TO BE EXTRAORDINARY,
19 AND;

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21 **PARAGRAPH 3:** WHEREAS, IN ORDER FOR STUDENTS TO BE WELL PREPARED TO
22 FACE THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY AND MARKET THEY MUST POSSESS
23 A PASSPORT, AND;

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25 **PARAGRAPH 4:** WHEREAS, EACH AND EVERY YEAR, HUNDREDS OF LSU STUDENTS
26 TRAVEL AND STUDY ABROAD IN VARIOUS ACADEMIC AREAS, AND;

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28 **PARAGRAPH 5:** WHEREAS, INSTALLING A PASSPORT OFFICE ON CAMPUS WOULD
29 HELP PREPARE LSU STUDENTS FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO
30 TRAVEL AND WORK ABROAD, AND;

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32 **PARAGRAPH 6:** WHEREAS, THE PRESENCE OF A PASSPORT OFFICE ON CAMPUS
33 WOULD ALSO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO EXPERIENCE
34 INTERNATIONAL CULTURES, AND;

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36 **PARAGRAPH 7:** WHEREAS, THE LSU STUDENT UNION COULD SERVE AS A PRIME
37 LOCATION FOR A PASSPORT OFFICE BECAUSE OF ITS CENTRAL
38 LOCATION FOR STUDENT ACTIVITY.

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40 **PARAGRAPH 8:** WHEREAS, TROY H. MIDDLETON LIBRARY WOULD ALSO SERVE AS
41 A SUITABLE LOCATION AS A PASSPORT ACCEPTANCE FACILITY DUE
42 TO ITS STATUS AS A PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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44 **PARAGRAPH 9:** THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE LOUISIANA
45 STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND
46 MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE SUPPORTS
47 THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNITED STATES PASSPORT OFFICE ON
48 CAMPUS.

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50 **PARAGRAPH 10:** BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT A COPY OF THIS
51 RESOLUTION BE TRANSMITTED TO F. KING ALEXANDER,
52 PRESIDENT AND CHANCELLOR OF LSU AND MARGOT CARROLL,
53 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF LSU AUXILIARY SERVICES.
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55 **PARAGRAPH 11:** THIS RESOLUTION SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A
56 SIMPLE MAJORITY (1/2) VOTE OF THE LSU STUDENT SENATE
57 AND SIGNATURE BY THE PRESIDENT, UPON LAPSE OF TIME FOR
58 PRESIDENTIAL ACTION, OR IF VETOED BY THE PRESIDENT AND
59 SUBSEQUENTLY APPROVED BY THE SENATE, ON THE DATE OF
60 SUCH APPROVAL.
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104 **ALEX GRASHOFF**
105 **SPEAKER OF THE SENATE**

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104 **JOHN S. WOODARD**
105 **STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT**

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107 **DATE:** _____

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