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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

STUDENT SENATE
SGFB No. 10
BY: SENATOR MUEHLEMAN

A FINANCE BILL

TO APPROPRIATE A MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF TWO THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS ($2,710.00) FROM THE STUDENT SENATE INITIATIVE FUND TO HELP WITH COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH FOCUSING ON COLLEGE AND UNLIMITED SUCCESS (FOCUS)

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, FOCUS IS A FREE TWO-WEEK COLLEGE IMMERSION SUMMER PROGRAM, WITHIN THE COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES AND EDUCATION, FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED STUDENTS IN FAILING LOUISIANA PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AND

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, FOCUS IS PARTIALLY FUNDED THROUGH TWO GRANTS BUT LARGELY SUPPORTED BY THE FUNDRAISING EFFORTS OF ITS DIRECTORS, AND

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, THE PROGRAM FOCUSES ON THE HUMANITIES IN ORDER TO EXPOSE STUDENTS TO PROGRAMS LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE (LSU) CAN OFFER THAT ARE LIKELY NOT FOUND IN THEIR CURRENT HIGH SCHOOLS WHILE ALSO ENCOURAGING STUDENTS TO PURSUE A COLLEGE EDUCATION, AND

PARAGRAPH 4: WHEREAS, THE FOLLOWING HIGH SCHOOLS USUALLY ATTEND FOCUS ARE: CAPITOL HIGH SCHOOL, EAST BATON ROUGE LAB ACADEMY, ISTROUA HIGH SCHOOL, LEE HIGH SCHOOL, MCKINLEY HIGH SCHOOL, SCOTLANDVILLE HIGH SCHOOL, AND MENTORSHIP ACADEMY, AND

PARAGRAPH 5: WHEREAS, THE PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 4 NOMINATE THEIR TOP STUDENTS INTO THE PROGRAM, AND

PARAGRAPH 6: WHEREAS, THE LSU STUDENTS WHO RUN THE PROGRAM ARE HONOR STUDENTS WHO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME FOR TWO WEEKS AND UNDERTAKE EXTENSIVE FUNDRAISING AND PREPARATION, AND

PARAGRAPH 7: WHEREAS, IN RECENT YEARS FOCUS HAS CUT BACK ON MANY ASPECTS OF THE PROGRAM DUE TO FINANCIAL REASONS AND ASSISTANCE FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT WILL ALLOW THE PROGRAM TO RETURN TO ITS NORMAL STANDARDS WHILE ALSO MAKING STUDENT GOVERNMENT A SPONSOR FOR THIS YEAR’S PROGRAM, AND;

PARAGRAPH 8: WHEREAS, THE FUNDING WILL BE USED FOR T-SHIRTS, JOURNALISM BUILDING RENTAL, TRANSPORTATION, AND THE UREC CHALLENGE COURSE FEE, AND;

PARAGRAPH 9: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT SENATE OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE THAT AN
AMOUNT OF TWO THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED TEN ($2,710.00)
DOLLARS IS ALLOCATED FROM THE STUDENT SENATE INITIATIVE
FUND TO FOCUS.

PARAGRAPH 10:  THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A MAJORITY
(1/2) 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.

APPROVED:

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MEREDITH WESTBROOK            R. TAYLOR COX
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE          STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE:____________________    DATE:___________________