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STUDENT SENATE

S12RS

SGR No. 11

BY: SENATOR WESTBROOK

A RESOLUTION**TO URGE AND REQUEST LSU DINING TO PROVIDE ALLERGEN ALERT SIGNS UNDER THE ALREADY AVAILABLE FOOD LABELS**

- PARAGRAPH 1:** WHEREAS, SEVERAL STUDENTS HAVE HAD ALLERGIC REACTIONS DUE TO LACK OF WARNING OF COMMON ALLERGENS IN FOOD IN DINING HALLS AND;
- PARAGRAPH 2:** WHEREAS, PROVIDING THESE ALERTS UNDER THE ALREADY EXISTING LABELS FOR EACH MEAL PROVIDED IN THE DINING HALL WOULD GIVE STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO KNOW EXACTLY WHAT THEY SHOULD OR SHOULD NOT EAT AND;
- PARAGRAPH 3:** WHEREAS, THE LABELS SHOULD STATE ONLY THE COMMON FOOD ALLERGEN(S) ON A CARD NEAR THE MENU ITEM BEING SERVED ON A CARD NEAR THE MENU ITEM BEING SERVED AND;
- PARAGRAPH 4:** WHEREAS, THE INGREDIENTS DO NOT NEED TO BE LISTED AND THEREFORE DO NOT NEED TO BE PUBLISHED AND;
- PARAGRAPH 5:** WHEREAS, THE MOST COMMON FOOD ALLERGIES INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO DAIRY, WHEAT, SHELLFISH, NUTS AND SOY AND;
- PARAGRAPH 6:** WHEREAS, HAVING STUDENTS ASK DINING HALL EMPLOYEES ABOUT POSSIBLE ALLERGEN(S) IN EACH FOOD ITEM IS CUMBERSOME AND COULD POSSIBLY RESULT IN AN INACCURATE ANSWER AND;
- PARAGRAPH 7:** WHEREAS, THIS INFORMATION SHOULD BE ON THE LSU DINING WEBSITE IN THE FUTURE TO PROVIDE ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO HELP STUDENTS BUT SHOULD REMAIN AVAILABLE AT THE DINING HALLS AS WELL.
- PARAGRAPH 8:** THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE THAT LSU DINING SHOULD PROVIDE ALLERGEN ALERT SIGNS UNDER THE ALREADY AVAILABLE FOOD LABELS, AND
- PARAGRAPH 9:** BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION BE TRANSMITTED TO DAVID HEIDKE, DIRECTOR OF LSU DINING AND CONCESSIONS, AND JASON TOLLIVER, DIRECTOR OF UNIVERSITY AXILLARY SERVICES AND OF THE STUDENT UNION.

PARAGRAPH 10: THIS RESOLUTION SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A SIMPLE 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.

Aaron Caffarel
Speaker of the Senate

Cody Wells
Student Body President

Date: _____

Date: _____