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A BILL

TO AMEND ARTICLE VII, SECTION 1 Of THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY A&M STUDENT GOVERNMENT BYLAWS

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, ARTICLE VII SECTION 1 of the Student Government Bylaws currently reads:

1. STUDENT GOVERNMENT SURPLUS
   a. THIS ACCOUNT MAY ONLY BE USED FOR ONE-TIME EXPENDITURES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT.
   b. FUNDS MAY BE REQUESTED BY MEMBERS OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT VIA A BILL INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE AND APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE AND APPROVED BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR OF STUDENT LIFE.
   c. ALL REMAINING FUNDS IN THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OPERATING ACCOUNTS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE COLLEGE COUNCILS SURPLUS ACCOUNT, AT THE END OF EACH FISCAL YEAR ARE TRANSFERRED TO THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT SURPLUS ACCOUNT AND INITIATIVES ACCOUNT. ; AND

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, THERE IS A CONFLICT BETWEEN ABOVE STATED ARTICLE AND ARTICLE VI, SECTION 11, SUBSECTION C, WHICH READS:

1. ANY FUNDING APPROPRIATED THAT EXCEEDS ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($1,500.00) SHALL REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS (2/3) VOTE OF THE LSU A&M STUDENT SENATE; AND

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, ARTICLE VII, SECTION 1 SHOULD NOW READ:

1. STUDENT GOVERNMENT SURPLUS
   a. THIS ACCOUNT MAY ONLY BE USED FOR ONE-TIME EXPENDITURES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT.
   b. FUNDS MAY BE REQUESTED BY MEMBERS OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT VIA A BILL INTRODUCED IN AND APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE THE SENATE AND APPROVED BY THE STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT, DEAN OF STUDENTS, AND VICE-CHANCELLOR OF STUDENT LIFE.
   c. ALL REMAINING FUNDS IN THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OPERATING ACCOUNTS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE COLLEGE COUNCILS SURPLUS ACCOUNT, AT THE END OF EACH FISCAL YEAR ARE
TRANSFERRED TO THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT
SURPLUS ACCOUNT AND INITIATIVES ACCOUNT.

PARAGRAPH 4: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT
GOVERNMENT OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE THAT
ARTICLE VII, SECTION 1 OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT BYLAWS
BE SO AMENDED.

PARAGRAPH 5: THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A 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.

APPROVED:

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BEN CLARK                J. COLORADO ROBERTSON
STUDENT SENATE SPEAKER    STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE____________________  DATE____________________