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3 **STUDENT SENATE**

4 **F06RS**

5 **SGB No. 37**

6 **BY: SENATOR HODGE**

7 **A BILL**

8 **TO AMEND ARTICLE VI, SECTION 16 OF THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY &**
9 **AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT BY-LAWS.**

10 **PARAGRAPH 1:** WHEREAS, ARTICLE VI, SECTION 16 OF THE STUDENT
11 GOVERNMENT BY-LAWS DISCUSSES THE RESTRICTIONS ON
12 STUDENT GOVERNMENT FUNDS, AND

13 **PARAGRAPH 2:** WHEREAS, THERE IS A PROVISION OF THE BY-LAWS REQUIRING
14 ANY ORGANIZATION THAT CAN QUALIFY FOR FUNDING THROUGH
15 ORF (ORGANIZATIONAL RELIEF FUND) TO FIRST SEEK FUNDING
16 THERE BEFORE APPLYING FOR FUNDS FROM THE SENATE
17 CONTINGENCY, AND

18 **PARAGRAPH 3:** WHEREAS, THERE IS NO SUCH PROVISION AS IT RELATES TO
19 GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE ABLE TO APPLY FOR
20 FUNDING THROUGH PSIF (PROGRAMMING, SUPPORT &
21 INITIATIVES FUND) TO FIRST APPLY THERE BEFORE SEEKING
22 FUNDING THROUGH THE SENATE CONTINGENCY, AND

23 **PARAGRAPH 4:** WHEREAS, IT IS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE FOR SUCH A RULE SO AS
24 TO REQUIRE GROUPS TO USE THE EXISTING FUNDING
25 OPPORTUNITIES PROVIDED TO THEM FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES
26 FIRST BEFORE COMING TO THE SENATE FOR MONEY, AND

27 **PARAGRAPH 5:** WHEREAS, IT IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE MAXIMUM NUMBER
28 OF STUDENTS TO RECEIVE FUNDING THROUGH THE VARIOUS
29 STUDENT GOVERNMENT FUNDING SOURCES, THEREFORE A
30 PROHIBITION ON DOUBLE DIPPING NEEDS TO BE PUT INTO PLACE.

31 **PARAGRAPH 6:** THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE LOUISIANA
32 STATE UNIVERSITY AGRICULTURAL AND
33 MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE THAT
34 ARTICLE VI, SECTION 16 OF THE LSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT
35 BY-LAWS BE AMENDED TO READ:

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39 G. ANY ORGANIZATION SEEKING MONEY FROM THE SENATE
40 CONTINGENCY THAT MAY QUALIFY FOR FUNDING FROM THE
41 PROGRAMMING SUPPORT & INITIATIVES FUND (PSIF), MUST
42 FIRST APPLY FOR FUNDING THROUGH PSIF BEFORE COMING TO
43 THE SENATE FOR A REQUEST FOR FUNDING. FURTHERMORE, ANY
44 GROUP WHO QUALIFIES FOR FUNDING THROUGH PSIF OR ORF
45 SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED TO APPLY FOR MONEY FROM THE SENATE
46 CONTINGENCY IN THE SAME SEMESTER THEY QUALIFY FOR
47 FUNDING THROUGH ORF OR PSIF.
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55 **PARAGRAPH 7:** THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A TWO-THIRDS
56 VOTE OF THE LSU STUDENT SENATE AND SIGNATURE BY THE
57 PRESIDENT, UPON LAPSE OF TIME FOR PRESIDENTIAL ACTION, OR
58 IF VETOED BY THE PRESIDENT AND SUBSEQUENTLY APPROVED BY
59 THE SENATE, ON THE DATE OF SUCH APPROVAL.
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65 **ASHLEY D. MARTIN – SPEAKER**

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65 **CHRISTOPHER K. ODINET – PRESIDENT**

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