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STUDENT SENATE

S09RS

SGB No. 25

BY: SENATOR C. BROWN

A BILL

TO APPROPRIATE A MAXIMUM OF FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE DOLLARS AND THIRTY-SEVEN CENTS (\$4,733.37) FROM THE STUDENT SENATE CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO THE LSU FORMULA SAE TEAM TO DEFER THE EXPENSES OF ATTENDING THE 2009 FORMULA SAE COMPETITION IN MICHIGAN.

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, THE FORMULA SAE PROJECT INVOLVES THE DESIGN AND FABRICATION OF AN OPEN WHEELED FORMULA STYLE RACECAR TO COMPETE IN MICHIGAN AT THE MICHIGAN INTERNATIONAL SPEEDWAY. THE COMPETITION, HOSTED BY THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (SAE), INVOLVES STATIC AND DYNAMIC EVENTS. THE STATIC EVENTS INCLUDE A MARKETING PRESENTATION, A COST BREAKDOWN, AND A DESIGN ASSESSMENT. THE DYNAMIC EVENTS INCLUDE AUTOCROSS, ENDURANCE, SKIDPAD AND ACCELERATION RUNS; AND

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, EVERY YEAR, THE TEAM SPENDS A GREAT AMOUNT OF TIME AND EFFORT FUNDRAISING TO COVER THE COSTS OF BUILDING THE CAR AND TRAVELING TO THE COMPETITION; HOWEVER, THIS YEAR, DUE TO THE ECONOMIC DOWNTURN, THE TEAM WAS UNABLE TO RAISE ENOUGH TO FUND TRAVEL, AND

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, A MAXIMUM OF FOUR THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS (\$4,320.00) SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO COVER HOTEL COSTS AND A MAXIMUM OF FOUR HUNDRED THIRTEEN DOLLARS AND THIRTY-SEVEN CENTS (\$413.37) SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO COVER THE COST OF GAS TO TRAVEL TO THE CONFERENCE.

PARAGRAPH 4: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE THAT A MAXIMUM OF FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE DOLLARS AND THIRTY-SEVEN CENTS (\$4,733.37) BE ALLOCATED FROM THE STUDENT SENATE CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO THE LSU FORMULA SAE TEAM TO DEFER THE EXPENSES OF ATTENDING THE 2009 FORMULA SAE COMPETITION.

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:

BEN CLARK
STUDENT SENATE SPEAKER

DATE _____

J. COLORADO ROBERTSON
STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE _____