A Resolution to Approve the Standards of Attendance Criteria
for the 2014-2015 Academic Year
Unanimous Consent

WHEREAS the Residence Hall Association (RHA) is the governing body for all on-campus students at the University of Maryland, College Park, and

WHEREAS the RHA is guided by its governing documents, and

WHEREAS the RHA Standard Operating Procedure states in Part II, Section 1, Clause 3 that “the executive board must submit the following for approval by two-thirds majority of the Senate during the first meeting of the fall semester: [t]he criteria for what constitutes an excused, unexcused, or emergency absence [and t]he criteria for how decisions will be made on temporary or permanent loss of voting privileges for all Senate members,” and

WHEREAS a copy of the Standard Operating Procedure has been distributed to the Senate and the attendance policy criteria has been reviewed with members and described in the “Attendance Policy” document shared with the RHA Senate,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the RHA Senate approve the standards of attendance criteria for the 2014-2015 academic year.

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