

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

FIFTY-THIRD SESSION

BILL NO. 53-35

INTRODUCED BY: Noffsinger

SECONDED BY: Fish

A RESOLUTION TO: Approve edits and revisions to the Spartan Life Handbook

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, The ASMSU Student Rights Advocates have determined the following:

- RHR 1.8 "Failure to Discourage" is unfair and excessively punitive
- RHR 3.1 and 3.3 are ambiguous and lack an objective definition of "harassment"
- RHR 5.4 Lacks a clear definition of "common source" in regards to alcoholic beverages
- RHR 4.3 is unclear as to whether one can destroy or alter property that they own
- GSR 2.11 and 2.12 should split up the classification drugs and alcohol into "possession and use" and "manufacture, production, sale, and exchange"
- GSR 5.03 contains ambiguous language, and lacks a formal definition of the term "University document"; and,

WHEREAS, The ASMSU Student Rights Advocates have drafted changes to the aforementioned policies address their shortcomings; and,

WHEREAS, The ASMSU Student Rights Advocates seek the approval of the General Assembly of ASMSU for changes to the General Student Regulations, even though it is not required; and,

WHEREAS, Approval is needed from the General Assembly of ASMSU to make changes to the Residence Hall Regulations, and the role of ASMSU is to provide protection and defense of the rights of students; therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) approve and endorse the following changes to the Spartan Life Handbook as they are attached to this resolution.

INTRODUCED ON Dec.01.2016

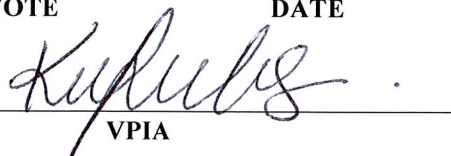
REFERRED TO Policy ON Dec.01.2016

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN Sent to GA DATE Dec.01.2016

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice-Majority</u>	<u>Dec.01.2016</u>
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FINAL ACTION TAKEN	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice-Majority</u>	<u>Dec.06.2016</u>
	PASSED	FAILED	VOTE	DATE


PRESIDENT


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