

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

FIFTY-SECOND SESSION

BILL NO. 52-23

INTRODUCED BY: Williams

SECONDED BY: Alberts

A RESOLUTION TO: Support the Student Aid Bill of Rights and the Degrees Not Debt Campaign

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, The cost of higher education has skyrocketed over the past couple decades, vastly outpacing the rate of inflation, which is not only unfair, but also truly unethical; and,

WHEREAS, Education is a right that should be accessible to those who want to pursue a degree, regardless of socio-economic status or background; and,

WHEREAS, Both State and Federal governments have steadily decreased their investments in higher education and Federal student aid; and,

WHEREAS, The Higher Education Act (HEA), which funds integral facets of our higher education system, needs to be reauthorized within the next year; therefore be it,

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) urges the following: Congress to reauthorize HEA this Fall; President Simon to support the values of the Student Aid Bill of Rights; and, Michigan's legislature to commit to more funding for higher education.

INTRODUCED ON 10/29/2015

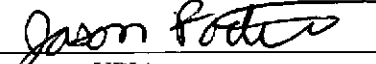
REFERRED TO Policy COMMITTEE ON 10/29/15

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN _____ DATE _____

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>			<u>10/29/15</u>
	PASSED	FAILED	VOTE	DATE

FINAL ACTION TAKEN	<u>X</u>		<u>Majority-Voice</u>	<u>11/5/15</u>
	PASSED	FAILED	VOTE	DATE


PRESIDENT


VP/IA