

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

FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION

BILL NO. 54-09

INTRODUCED BY: Colpoys

SECONDED BY: Rifiotis

A BILL TO: Advocate for the implementation of a new Student Information System

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, the standing course retake policy has negatively affected a significant number of past and present MSU students; and,

WHEREAS, this negative effect has manifested itself in the forms of increasing students' time-to-degree, forcing some to change their college and major of choice, and encouraging faculty to actively recommend non-attendance to classes and exams; and,

WHEREAS, the University committee on Academic Policy, the University Committee on Student Affairs, the University Committee on Faculty Affairs, the University Graduate Council, ASMSU, and COGS all endorsed, in 2011, that a new retake policy should be implemented that allows students to retake a class up to two times with a lower enrollment priority than students who have not enrolled in the class before and students who must retake the course to academically progress; and,

WHEREAS, the implementation of the new policy was deferred indefinitely due to cited technological limitations within the Registrar's current Student Information System (SIS); be it

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University shall advocate for the implementation of a new SIS that is capable of housing the internal logic structures necessary to track, analyze, and prioritize student enrollment priorities; be it further,

RESOLVED, Associated Students of Michigan State University shall advocate for the new SIS to be chosen on the basis of its being adaptable enough to ostensibly entertain reasonably foreseeable, future academic policy changes and avoid unreasonably lengthy implementation delays.


INTRODUCED ON October 26, 2017

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