



1 **Sponsor:** Secretary of the Assembly McMahon, Secretary of Public Relations Brewer
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3 Bill Authorizing an Official Student Government Association Scholarship Fund and Amend the Executive
4 Branch By-Laws: Executive Cabinet Members Authorities, Powers and Responsibilities (Article 2,
5 Section 3-B-C)
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7 WHEREAS, the Student Government Association is the official student governing body for Illinois State
8 University;
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10 WHEREAS, the Executive Branch By-Laws is the governing document for the Executive Branch;
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12 WHEREAS, Authorities, Powers and Responsibilities of the Secretary of Public Relations can be found
13 in Article 2, Section 3-B of the Executive Branch By-Laws;
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15 WHEREAS, Authorities, Powers and Responsibilities of the Secretary of Student Fees can be found in
16 Article 2, Section 3-C of the Executive Branch By-Laws;
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18 WHEREAS, college affordability is an initiative of the 2009-2010 Student Government Association;
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20 WHEREAS, the Student Government Association can help decrease the financial burdens of students by
21 creating a scholarship fund;
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23 WHEREAS, the scholarship would be registered as a ‘Restricted Fund’ with the Illinois State University
24 Foundation;
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26 WHEREAS, over time, future Student Government Associations can change the fund to an ‘Endowed
27 Fund’;
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29 WHEREAS, the intent of the scholarship is to award students monetary awards for textbooks, but future
30 administrations of the Student Government Association have discretion over the distribution of monetary
31 awards based on the current need of the students after working with a Development Officer with the
32 Illinois State University Foundation;
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34 WHEREAS, the funds for the *Official Student Government Association Scholarship Fund* will be
35 collected through donations and fundraising;
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37 WHEREAS, at least the Secretary of Student Fees, Secretary of Public Relations, and three members of
38 the legislative branch, who will be chosen by the President of the Assembly, will work together to create
39 and maintain the *Official Student Government Association Scholarship*;
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41 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association along with the
42 constituents of Illinois State University accept the bill authorizing the creation of the *Official Student*
43 *Government Association Scholarship Fund* as a restricted fund.
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45 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association authorizes the
46 Secretary of Student Fees, the Secretary of Public Relations, and two members of the legislative branch to
47 work with a Development Officer to create the *Official Student Government Association Scholarship*
48 *Fund*.
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50 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Governmnet Association along with the
51 constiutents of Illinois State University accept the bill authorizing the amendments made to the Executive
52 Branch By-Laws (Article 2, Sections 3-B-C);

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54 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs the
55 Secretary of the Assembly to make all necessary changes to the Executive Branch By-Laws (Article 2,
56 Sections 3-B-C).

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58 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs the
59 Secretary of Information Technology to create and maintain a link on the official Student Government
60 Association Web site.

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63 Adopted by the Assembly of the Student Government Association on the 31 day of March
64 2009.

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66 We hereunto set our hands in affirmation of the adoption of this resolution by the Assembly of the
67 Student Government Association:

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71 Matt Spialek, Student Body President Mike Carnahan, President of the Assembly
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74 I hereunto set my hand it witness and certification of the adoption of this resolution by the Assembly of
75 the Student Government Association:

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78 Mary McMahon, Secretary of the Assembly
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