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A Resolution in support of Texas Public Interest Research Group (TexPirg)

Whereas, The 49th Administration of the Student Government Association supports the efforts of groups to engage our students on important events such as local and national elections; and

Whereas, The Student Government Association has the duty to engage our students alongside non- university groups to inform our students on the importance of voting;

Whereas, the Texas Public Interest Research Group has shown interest in developing a partnership with the University of Houston Student Government Association to promote a greater understanding of a students' voting rights and the importance of their vote and;

Whereas, a partnership between The University of Houston Student Government Association and the Texas Public Research Group would be beneficial not only to our students and university but more so the nation, together will develop a coalition along with political action group and other campus groups on campus to register our students to vote; and

Whereas, by developing this relationship our students will benefit by becoming registered and informed voters, allowing them to fulfill on of their most important civic duties.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY the Senate of the Student Government Association of the University of Houston: that this body supports the role and partnered relationship of the Texas Public Interest Research Group and the University of Houston Student Government Association.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Senate of the Student Government Association of the University of Houston welcomes the Texas Public Interest Research Group onto this campus and will support their efforts to register our students to vote here at the University of Houston.

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