

1 Title: **RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERIM SENATE SEAT FOR**
2 **MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY**

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7 Resolution Number: 8.07-08

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9 WHEREAS, The GPSS Constitution provides Senate seats for each degree granting units;
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12 WHEREAS, Currently there is no Senate seat representing the interdisciplinary program
13 of Molecular and Cellular Biology; and

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15 WHEREAS, Students in the interdisciplinary program of Molecular and Cellular Biology
16 are in a program separate from the departments of Microbiology, Biology,
17 Bioengineering, or any other departments or programs; and

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19 WHEREAS, The Bylaw changes enacted by GPSS on April 23, 2008 would allow for the
20 seat to be recognized; and

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22 WHEREAS, The Bylaw changes would only become effective starting in the fall of
23 2008;

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25 THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

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27 THAT, The GPSS shall officially recognize an interim Senator representing Molecular
28 and Cellular Biology until the first instructional date of Fall 2008; and

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30 THAT, Tom White, an uncontested candidate from the department who is already
31 approved by the GPA, be serving as the interim Senator for the department of Molecular
32 and Cellular Biology; and

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34 THAT, This resolution, upon approval, becomes effective immediately.

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36 *Presented to GPSS for approval on May 1, 2008*

37 *Approved on May 7, 2008*