Title: RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERIM SENATE SEAT FOR BIOMOLECULAR STRUCTURE AND DESIGN

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WHEREAS the GPSS Constitution provides Senate seats for each degree granting unit; and

WHEREAS the GPSS Constitution and Bylaws currently have no process for non-degree granting programs; and

WHEREAS there is currently no Senate seat representing the interdisciplinary program of Biomolecular Structure and Design; and

WHEREAS students in the interdisciplinary program of Biomolecular Structure and Design are in a program separate from the departments of Biochemistry, Microbiology, Biology, Bioengineering, or any other department or program; and

WHEREAS the students in the program are not incorporated into degree-granting departments until after the completion of the program,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT the GPSS shall officially recognize an interim Senate seat representing Biomolecular Structure and Design; and

THAT a Senator be chosen from a student within the program; and

THAT the GPSS Judicial Committee presents a judgment on the issue of student representation from those in graduate or professional non-degree granting programs that do not fall under any degree granting programs.

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