SENATE RESOLUTION S16-05  
SENATE MEETING FEBRUARY 29, 2016

TITLE: Extending the Deadline for Graduate/Professional Students to Make Changes to Their Schedule without any Financial Penalty

WHEREAS: According to the policy established by the Faculty Senate Academic Standards and Admissions Committee, the Office of the Registrar charges all students a Schedule Change fee of $12 when ISU students request to make any changes to their schedule, including dropping, adding, and/or auditing a class, and

WHEREAS: All ISU graduate and professional students are required to take several courses for their graduate/professional degree, and

WHEREAS: There are some courses that are offered only once a week, and

WHEREAS: Many graduate/professional students need more than 7 days to adjust their semester schedule, be it therefore

RESOLVED: That GPSS recognizes the need to extend the deadline from 5 school days to 10 school days, allowing graduate/professional students to make any changes to their schedule without being charged a fee, and

RESOLVED: That this resolution be sent to University President Steven Leath, Senior Vice President and Provost Jonathan Wickert, Associate Provost and Dean of the Graduate College David Holger, the Graduate Council, President of the Faculty Senate Rob Wallace, the Faculty Senate Academic Standards and Admissions Committee, University Registrar office, and Office of Student Financial Aid.

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