Resolution Requesting State Level Funding for the University of Vermont

WHEREAS, the University of Vermont, with 3,795 employees, is the State of Vermont’s 4th largest employer,⁴

WHEREAS, Vermont residents make up approximately 33% of the undergraduate body and 47% of the post baccalaureate body,²

Whereas, the amount of state appropriation is about $4,966 per full-time equivalent student taught at the University of Vermont,³

WHEREAS, Vermont was ranked 50th for state appropriation in higher education in the Fiscal Year (FY) 2011 with a total appropriation of $92,468,041,⁴

WHEREAS, the rates of need-based financial aid for Vermont students and out-of-state students has risen 4% and 13% respectively from FY 2000 to FY2011,⁵

WHEREAS, The University of Vermont is requesting level funding of $40,746,633 appropriated by the

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¹ Office of State, Federal, and Community Relations FY 2010
² FY 2012 University of Vermont Source Book
³ FY 2012 University of Vermont Source Book
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⁵ FY 2012 University of Vermont Source Book
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BE IT RESOLVED, that the University of Vermont Student Government Association calls upon the State of Vermont to level-fund the University of Vermont in the Fiscal Year 2013 with an appropriation of $40,746,633.

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6 FY 2012 University of Vermont Source Book