

University of Houston Faculty Senate Resolution

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Committee: Executive Committee

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Outcome: Revision (August 18)

Senate Date: --

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RESOLUTION ON MANDATORY DIRECT DEPOSIT

Whereas the University of Houston System has mandated the use of direct deposit of payroll checks for its employees with few exemptions (listed in Section 5 of the State of Texas/University of Houston System Direct Deposit Authorization form),

Whereas the form authorizes withdrawals from private accounts without notification to the employee to correct errors, and such withdrawals may themselves be made in error,

Whereas the garnishment of wages/withholding of salary is not permitted in the state of Texas, and

Whereas the form requires agreement to rules not yet formulated,

The Faculty Senate (expects/calls upon/invokes/adjures) that the university take full responsibility for and make restitution for any debts incurred as a result of direct deposit funding.