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A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS:

The primary purpose of a university is to educate; and,

WHEREAS:

The educational process is carried out through classroom instruction and by conducting publishable research; and,

WHEREAS:

By conducting classified research those areas of the University engaged in such research are essentially removed from the

educational process,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Executive Council of the University of Colorado Student Union, THAT:

SECTION 1:

UCSU respects the academic freedom of faculty to choose research topics in their field of interest but that the free dissemination of information to the University community has absolute priority over this right of the faculty.

SECTION 2:

UCSU recognizes that University sponsored classified research is antithetical to the primary purpose of the University.

SECTION 3:

UCSU urges the University of Colorado to prohibit any classified research on any property of the University of Colorado, Boulder, that would have a delay in publication of more than six months.

SECTION 4:

This Resolution takes effect upon passage.

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