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## 29 EXECUTIVE COUNCIL RESOLUTION #106

## UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

## STUDENT UNION

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WHEREAS:

The adoption of Amendment 6 will jeopardize higher education

in Colorado and will cripple the University of Colorado.

WHEREAS:

The fundamentals of democracy ensure the power of citizens

to make accountable their elected representatives.

WHEREAS:

The responsible levying of taxes by elected officials represents

a fair and efficient means of ensuring the quality of

government services.

WHEREAS:

The adoption of Amendment 6 will impose the will of the

minority over the will of the majority thus underminig

the precepts of democracy.

WHEREAS:

The education of all of its citizens, to enable their making of intelligent decisions pertaining to taxation, would encumber the government with a responsibility far beyond its ability to

the government with a responsibility far beyond its ability to

manage.

WHEREAS:

The bolstering of Colorado's economy by the presence of

University research would evaporate with the difficulty in

obtaining finances.

WHEREAS:

Needed expansion of University facilities would become

inordinately more difficult.

WHEREAS:

Tuition increase decisions may fall in the hands of those

incapable of applying objectivity and sensitivity to the

needs of students.

WHEREAS:

The University will immediately be inflicted with major cuts

in funding as tax levels return to 90% of 1987 levels.

THEREFORE;

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

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SECTION 1: The students of the University of Colorado are encouraged to

educate themselves of the ramifications of Amendment 6.

SECTION 2: The students are urged to vote against Amendment 6.

SECTION 3: This resolution takes effect upon passage.

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