Resolution 02-08 on Appointing an Ad Hoc Committee to Conduct a Poll / Questionnaire in Order to Determine the Opinions of the LSU Faculty on Collective Bargaining and Shared Governance

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WHEREAS the Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Committee to Investigate the Feasibility of Collective Bargaining has completed its charge and issued its report to the Senate; and

WHEREAS the evidence in the report suggests that the LSU faculty has been and remains inadequately compensated in comparison with extensive research institutions throughout the nation and the southern region; and

WHEREAS the report has called for further discussion and debate in the Faculty Senate on this issue; and

WHEREAS in order to have an effective discussion, debate, and further actions regarding this matter, the issues important to the LSU faculty need to be known; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that the Executive Committee of the LSU Faculty Senate appoint, and the Faculty Senate itself confirm the appointments to, a committee that will develop and conduct a questionnaire/poll to determine faculty opinions about collective bargaining and shared-governance on this campus.