FACULTY SENATE RESOLUTION 94-05

WHEREAS there is demonstrated need to maximize access to Louisiana State University for students, while at the same time maintaining established standards, and

WHEREAS the General College has run a pilot LSU Access Program as recommended by the LSU Access Task Force and as approved by the LSU Faculty Senate; Courses and Curricula Committee; and Admissions, Standards, and Honors Committee, and

WHEREAS the pilot LSU Access Program succeeded in meeting the criteria suggested by the Faculty Senate while at the same time successfully meeting the academic needs of the students admitted in the LSU Access Program so that an acceptable percentage of them are predicted to be eligible for regular admission after completing all established requirements,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the LSU Faculty Senate recommends approval of the LSU Access Program as a pilot program at LSU through Spring, 1997, and that the Office of Academic Affairs identify a Director to staff and oversee the continued operation of the LSU Access Program, with administrative structure and policy to be jointly developed by the Office of Academic Affairs and the LSU Access Task Force, its successor, or a designated committee of the Faculty Senate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the LSU Access Program continue to be administered under the criteria that all Program instructional, administrative, and other expenses be met or exceeded solely through tuition paid by enrollees, and that no resources or services for regularly admitted LSU students be diverted or diminished by the Program.