

Faculty Senate Resolution 99-14

Whereas a recent Student Government survey of minority students on campus indicated that most of the students had serious concerns about minority issues, and

Whereas minorities and women are often affected by similar issues, and

Whereas the faculty senate has recently voted to adopt Faculty Senate Resolution 9-10 to create a permanent Commission on the Status of Women,

Therefore, be it resolved that the Faculty Senate strongly supports the creation of a permanent Commission of the Status of Minorities consisting of faculty, staff, and student representatives to identify the needs of minorities on campus, to monitor changes in the status of minorities at LSU, to make recommendations regarding the conditions at LSU that affect minority employees and students, to work closely with LSU's administration to implement policy recommendations in a timely manner, and to report regularly to the Faculty Senate on its findings and accomplishments.