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Resolution Asking the Alabama Legislature Not To Support Legislation Limiting Auburn's Ability to Manage its Tuition Revenue

Whereas the Alabama Legislature is considering legislation that, if passed, will prohibit tuition increases unless approved by the legislature, and

Whereas such legislation will have serious consequences by preventing Auburn University from self-directing the fiscal remedies to past and potential future reductions in state appropriations, and

Whereas Auburn University has a strong record of responsible financial management, and

Whereas we take our responsibility to provide excellent educational opportunities to our students seriously, and

Whereas we are concerned that the proposed legislation restricting the Auburn University Board of Trustees from establishing appropriate tuition levels will have a significant negative impact on our ability to fulfill that responsibility,

Therefore be it resolved that the Auburn University Senate respectfully requests that the Legislature not support any legislation that limits Auburn's ability to manage its tuition revenue.