## Office of the Speaker Bureau de Président du Conseil

## Notice of Motion Regarding Disaffiliation from TaCEQ Referendum Question

Whereas the TaCEQ is a provincial student association, whose purpose is to, among other things, share research, work with other member associations on areas of common interest, and advocate for its members to the Quebec government,

Whereas the SSMU is a member of the Table de concertation étudiante du Québec (TaCEQ), and has been since its inception in 2009,

Whereas SSMU members and elected representatives have raised many concerns in regards to the inaccessibility of TaCEQ documents, the cancelation of a congress for reform, and the lack of return on cost of membership dues

Whereas REMDUS, the graduate student association of Université de Sherbrooke, voted in a referendum to leave TaCEQ,

Whereas REMDUS was an important ally for the SSMU in advocating for the translation of documents, the need to reform TaCEQ, and on political issues, such as opposition to the Quebec Charter of values/secularism aka. Bill 60

Whereas the absence of REMDUS in TaCEQ would mean that SSMU is more outnumbered by the two Quebec City associations and a greater financial cost or proportional payment to TaCEQ's budget

Resolved that the SSMU Legislative Council approve the following referendum question for the Winter 2014 Referendum Period:

"Do you support the disaffiliation of SSMU from the Table de concertation étudiante du Québec (TaCEQ) as of the 2014-15 SSMU & TaCEQ fiscal years (ending May 31st 2014), to come into effect June 1st 2014, with the understanding that a majority "no" vote would mean the continued affiliation of the SSMU with TaCEQ?"



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