



### **Motion Regarding Support for “Bring Lil B to McGill Campus” Campaign**

Whereas, helping to bring Lil B to McGill has been pledged by SSMU President Elect Tariq Bhattani<sup>1</sup>;

Whereas, Lil B will serve to promote positivity amongst the student body;

Whereas, the precedent of Lil B speaking at college campuses has already been established at New York University<sup>2</sup>, The University of California at Riverside<sup>3</sup>, and Virginia Tech University<sup>4</sup>;

Whereas, Lil B will draw positive international attention to the McGill student body<sup>5</sup>

Whereas, the lecture will be free for McGill students to attend: making it accessible to anyone at McGill regardless of economic situation

Whereas, at the time of writing, an online petition to get Lil B to come has 302 cosignatories<sup>6</sup>

Whereas, a Lil B event would foster a greater sense of community on the McGill campus

Whereas, support of the SSMU would help the event gain access to resources it needs to be realized;

Resolved, that the SSMU officially support the motion of getting the rapper Lil B to come and speak at McGill University

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/groups/527687824017455/>

<sup>2</sup> <http://pitchfork.com/news/46104-report-lil-bs-nyu-lecture/>

<sup>3</sup> <http://www.thefader.com/2014/02/07/watch-lil-bs-uc-riverside-lecture-and-congratulations-for-being-alive/>

<sup>4</sup> <http://www.hotnewhiphop.com/lil-b-delivers-a-sold-out-lecture-at-virginia-tech-university-new-video.26165.html>

<sup>5</sup> <http://pitchfork.com/news/46104-report-lil-bs-nyu-lecture/>

<sup>6</sup> [http://www.change.org/en-CA/petitions/mcgill-university-bring-lil-b-the-based-god-to-mcgill-university?utm\\_campaign=new\\_signature&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=signature\\_receipt#share](http://www.change.org/en-CA/petitions/mcgill-university-bring-lil-b-the-based-god-to-mcgill-university?utm_campaign=new_signature&utm_medium=email&utm_source=signature_receipt#share)



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