Faculty Senate Resolution 08–06 "The Thanksgiving Holiday Break" Sponsored by Vincent LiCata

WHEREAS the LSU Thanksgiving Holiday Break currently includes Thanksgiving Thursday and Friday; and

WHEREAS LSU students have expressed frustration with having to travel on Thanksgiving, since the day before is not an LSU class holiday; and

WHEREAS the precedent exists at LSU of suspending classes before or fater 12:30 pm on up to one day in a semester, while still counting that day as part of the required total class days in a semester; and

WHEREAS the Student Senate has requested such a change for the Wednesday preceding Thanksgiving:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVE that the LSU Faculty Senate, in support of student requests, recommends suspension of classes after 12:30 pm on the Wednesday preceding Thanksgiving, coupled with no other changes in the University calendar.