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**Academic Senate Resolution on the Incident of October 25, 2005**

**Whereas** The incident that took place on October 25, 2005 involving members of the SFSU community has stirred controversy about the campus’ dedication to social justice; and

**Whereas** The first goal of the December 2004 Commission on University Strategic Planning (CUSP-II) states, “San Francisco State University demonstrates commitment to its core values of equity and social justice through the diversity of its students and employees; and

**Whereas** The Academic Senate of SFSU passed a resolution on October 9, 2001 stating that harassment or intimidation of students, staff, faculty, administrators, or guests of the University on this campus will not be tolerated; therefore be it

**Resolved That** the Academic Senate of SFSU restate its commitment to equitable, nondiscriminatory, and civil behavior; and further be it

**Resolved That** the Academic Senate of SFSU appreciate the speed with which the SFSU administration formed an external review panel to investigate the incident that took place on October 25, 2005; and further be it

**Resolved That** the Academic Senate of SFSU support the faculty, student, and administrator group formed to recommend strategies for seeking input from the campus community about race and class relations on campus; and further be it

**Resolved That** the Academic Senate of SFSU endorse the call for a fully representative campus group to implement relevant improvements on the campus; and further be it

**Resolved That** the Academic Senate of SFSU urge that the external review panel openly publish its findings in their entirety as a link on the first page of the Academic Senate website.

***APPROVED without Dissent by the SFSU Academic Senate at its meeting on November 29, 2005***