



# The Student Senate

Texas A&M University

S.B. 67-06

The Student Senate  
67th Session  
Texas A&M University

Introduced By: Matt Valentin - Liberal Arts Student Senator

Action Taken

PASSED

Certified By:

*Hannah Weger '15*

Hannah Weger  
Speaker of the Senate

Duly Approved:

*Kyle Kelly '14*

Kyle Kelly  
Student Body President

## Printing Always Guarantees Excellence Bill

*"A bill to increase the ability of students to print documents to Open Access kiosks."*

**Whereas(1):** A common excuse for late papers is that students' printers have been known to malfunction or run out of ink before a paper is due; and,

**Whereas(2):** Texas A&M currently offers students a set number of prints, which are covered by their student fees, totaling \$30 for printing per semester, as well as \$15 for printing in the Summer; and,

**Whereas(3):** Texas A&M has printers available to students at 13 locations on campus: Blocker Open Access Lab, Wisenbaker Open Access Lab, Cain Hall Adaptive Technology Services Lab, Read Open Access Lab, Bright Athletic Lab and Lounge, Corps Lounge D, Student Computing Center, Evans Library and Annex, Horticulture Open Access Lab, Agriculture and Life Sciences Open Access Lab, Medical Science Library, and the Policy Sciences and Economics Library; and,

**Whereas(4):** Students cannot easily order prints except on computers owned by the University and should be able to print from their own computers to avoid wasting time; and,



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Further Certified By:

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**Whereas(5):** There exist easier methods for printing, including but not limited to Google applications and/or through additions to the Howdy portal.

**Therefore**

**Let it be**

**Enacted(1):** Google applications that allow for remote printing and/or additions to the Howdy portal should be made available to all students, or any other method that would allow for simplified printing from a personal device to campus printers; and,

**Let it be**

**Further**

**Enacted(2):** A copy of this document shall be sent to:

Dr. Karan L. Watson, Provost and Executive Vice President of Academic Affairs  
Mr. Ramesh Kannappan, Director of Enterprise Information Systems  
Joe Pettibon, Associate VP for Academic Services  
Mr. Richard Spiler, Associate Director of Open Access Computing Facilities  
Dr. Mark Hussey, Interim President of Texas A&M  
Mr. John Sharp, Chancellor of A&M System