



The Student Senate

Texas A&M University

S.B. 66-14

The Student Senate
66th Session
Texas A&M University

Introduced By: Senator Michael Dror, Liberal Arts

Action Taken

PASSED

Certified By:

Christopher W. Russo '12

Christopher W. Russo
Speaker of the Senate

Duly Approved:

T. Reid Joseph '14

T. Reid Joseph
Student Body President

The Restitution Owed After Compromising the Health and Expectations of Students (ROACHES) Bill

"A bill to compensate students for the failure of Chartwells/TAMU Dining Services."

- Whereas (1):** Texas A&M granted to Chartwells, as an independent contractor, the exclusive right to provide and manage Texas A&M's dining service program; and,
- Whereas (2):** As per the contract agreed upon by Texas A&M University and Chartwells on August 9th 2012, Chartwells is obligated to provide "high standards of sanitation, housekeeping, food storage, and food handling in regard to all Services;" and,
- Whereas (3):** Chartwells is obligated to provide "appropriate pest control services within the Food Service Areas, the office space and adjacent areas;" and,
- Whereas (4):** On Thursday, October 4th, the Brazos County Health Department's routine inspection found evidence of a cockroach infestation and rat droppings in multiple TAMU Dining locations; and,
- Whereas (5):** As a result, the main level of the MSC Food Court, Einstein Bagels, Sbis World Cuisine along with the Sbis kitchen and dish room were all closed for a mandatory 24 hours; and,
- Whereas (6):** Over 10,000 Aggie students purchased dining plans with the intention of using them according to the hours listed on dining.tamu.edu; and,



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Further Certified By:

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Christopher W. Russo
Speaker of the Senate

Whereas (7): On Thursday, October 4th and Friday, October 5th, students had their dining options drastically reduced due to facility closures; and,

Whereas (8): Students are permitted to use 4 meal trades in a 24 hour period,

Therefore

Let it be

Enacted (1): Chartwells credit all students who purchased dining plans in the Fall 2013 semester with 4 meal trades as compensation; and,

Let it be

Further

Enacted (2): That a copy of this bill shall be sent to:

- Dr R. Bowen Loftin, President of Texas A&M
- Lee Rapport, Resident District Manager, Chartwells
- Gina Capetanakis, Marketing Manager, Chartwells