

# Faculty Senate Resolution 12-8

## Reaffirmation of the LSU Campus as a Firearms Free Zone

*Sponsored by Senators Vince LiCata and Kerry Dooley*

Whereas the Teaching, Research, and Public Service missions of the flagship institution of the state of Louisiana are incompatible with any perceived need for private citizens (faculty, staff, or students) to carry concealed or unconcealed firearms; and

Whereas the Louisiana State Legislature is currently considering a potential constitutional amendment that would revise firearms possession restrictions in Louisiana; and

Whereas LSU Policy Statement 102 maintains LSU's commitment to a violence free workplace, and an "atmosphere completely free of threats and assaults"; and

Whereas LSU Policy Statement 96 maintains that the LSU campus is currently a firearms free zone,

Therefore, be it resolved that, independent of the outcome of the current legislative debate, the LSU Faculty Senate reaffirms its commitment to maintaining the LSU campus as a firearms free zone.