RESOLUTION #13
Minimum Wage

Whereas, it is assumed that the University serve in the vested interest of the student body and University as a whole, and

Whereas, it is not felt that this University believes in second class citizenship, and categorizing students at a sub-class level, and

Whereas, even though there is presently a means for an institution such as this, to apply to be exempt from paying minimum wages, it is not felt to be complementary to the overall perspective of the University to request exemption, and

Whereas, it is our hope Western can align with a definite national interest in this area, also noting that no pay scale differentiation should take place until after minimum wage levels,

Therefore, this congress resolves that the University implement that all student workers be paid minimum wage salaries,

This Congress also requests that the office of Financial Aid make known this varying pay scale for different areas of student employment and establish standard for variation of the pay scale.

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