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AR31 Calling for the optional inclusion of photo identification as part of the University's electronic directory information

WHEREAS: The University's electronic directory information does not currently include photo identification;

WHEREAS: FERPA, (Family Education Rights and Privacy Act), includes photo identification as part of its definition of legally attainable directory information;

WHEREAS: The University of Texas has the capabilities of including photo identification as part of its electronic directory information;

WHEREAS: This option would allow for more convenient access and recognition within the University community;

WHEREAS: According to a Student Government poll, 66% of those participating were in favor of the optional inclusion of photo identification;

BE IT RESOLVED: The Student Government supports the optional inclusion of photo identification as part of the University's electronic directory information;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: The Student Government recommends that this option be conducted as an 'opt-in' selection, out of concern for the privacy of students who do not wish to disclose their photo identity through the University's electronic directory.

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