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MANDATE

MSU Independence Dossier

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Student Senate notes with concern:

The creeping intrusion on students' union democracy and independence occurring around the country.

Student Senate believes:

The backbone of the student movement is for students' unions to be allowed to democratically self-govern, and to be free from interference by outside bodies.

Student Senate therefore mandates:

The MSU President to ensure MSU's continued independence and autonomy from Maynooth University and its right to democratically self-govern in line with its own policies and procedures.

Student Senate further mandates:

The MSU President to keep an annual dossier of the current situation within MSU, to keep a local record of developments and changes as they occur. The information provided within the dossier is to be kept confidential and is to be used for presidential crossover training and USI's National dossier.