RESOLUTION 16-03
A BILL TO ADD A REPRESENTATIVE UNIT FOR THE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT PROGRAM TO THE GPSF SENATE

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WHEREAS, the Physician Assistant program is a two-year master’s degree program within the Department of Allied Health Sciences in the UNC School of Medicine, which prepares students to be able to practice as generalist advanced practice providers in a variety of specialties and settings, with a focus on primary care and rural practice, and the program currently has 20 professional students,

WHEREAS, in accordance with the GPSF Constitution Article 2, Section 2, the Physician Assistant program has petitioned for addition as a Representative Unit of the GPSF and meets the requirements for inclusion in the GPSF,

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE SENATE OF THE GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT FEDERATION that the Physician Assistant program be added as a representative unit of the Graduate and Professional Student Federation;

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that Article 2, Section 1, Subsection (b) shall be amended to include the Physician Assistant program.

Done this day, the sixth of September two thousand and sixteen.

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