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1 **A Resolution-**

2 To be known as "A Resolution for Reformation of Digital Police
3 Notifications," which calls for informing students on incidents
4 where officers use force with an updated incident list sent.

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6 **WHEREAS:** Student Government, on behalf of students, must address
7 the systematic odium towards officers on college campuses; and

8 **WHEREAS:** Across our student community, this key distrust stays
9 linked to these deadly force incidents like the deaths of George
10 Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Tyre Nichols, and other such cases; and

11 **WHEREAS:** This distrust has sparked violent protests and brutal
12 riots across many college campuses, where students protest their
13 distrust of police officers, using odious language and physical
14 violence on social media platforms and in outer locations; and

15 **WHEREAS:** According to research¹, the top two reasons why people
16 fear the police is the fear of death due to them having tasers,
17 guns, and other weapons. The other is the fear of authority, as
18 officers can arrest individuals, but sometimes the people pulled
19 over resist arrest, caused tension in the police officer; and

20 **WHEREAS:** After George Floyd's death, Texas State student clubs,
21 regional groups, and organizations formed tightly knitted groups
22 to "black out," essentially protesting police officers; and

23 **WHEREAS:** With a lack of trust, accuracy, and transparency, Texas
24 State University police officials cannot be constructive
25 in their jobs of protecting and serving the community.

26 **BE IT RESOLVED:** To foster an inclusive environment, the Student
27 Government calls on the Texas State University Police Department
28 to release a document via mass email at the end of each semester
29 compiling a record of all uses of deadly force or just force in
30 incidents and their rationale behind them, expressing only the
31 main nonpartisan, impartial facts without personal bias; and

32 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:** This legislation be forwarded to the
33 Student Body President for further action.

¹ <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/the-act-violence/201107/police-officer-fears-the-harvard-professor-cambridge-police-sergeant>