In the Student Senate  
S.R. 09-5.1  
May 7th, 2009

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE BILL #1525

WHEREAS: Elon University students are experiencing an increase in tuition and cost of living expenses every year, and;

WHEREAS: Students may not have extra money in these times of the current economic crisis, and;

WHEREAS: The entire state of North Carolina has great higher education institutions that attract many out-of-state students and schools in North Carolina should remain competitive with other states that are removing taxes from textbooks, and;

WHEREAS: The additional cost of taxes on textbooks may alienate certain individuals from being able to attend a university in North Carolina, and;

WHEREAS: The loss of enrolled students could be detrimental to aspects of the state which include finances, employment, and research, therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF ELON UNIVERSITY THAT:

ARTICLE I: Elon University supports House Bill #1525 that will remove taxes from College textbooks to all enrolled students.

ARTICLE II: Elon University encourages other colleges and universities in the state of North Carolina to pass similar legislation in support of House Bill #1525.

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Speaker of the Senate: Evan Davis

Sponsor: Matt Campbell  
Secretary of the Senate: Hillary Srsic

Seconded By:  
Vote:  Aye  Nay  Abstain

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President of the SGA: Justin Peterson