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Resolution: Call for a Public Hearing On CUNY Master Plan Amendment

Whereas the CUNY Master Plan Amendment mandates an admissions policy that has significant effects on the students of our city and raises issues of social justice; and

Whereas the New York State Board of Regents plans to vote in December 2002, without any public hearing on the continuation of the Master Plan Amendment; and

Whereas the New York State Education Department (SED) has conducted campus site visits and has analyzed CUNY data with respect to the Master Plan Amendment, and the SED has reported most of its findings to the Regents; and

Whereas the Regents nevertheless have not heard from a wide range of students, faculty, staff, and community groups that have a major stake in the university; now therefore be it

Resolved, that the PSC-CUNY call upon the New York State Board of Regents to hold a New York City public hearing on the continuation of the Master Plan Amendment.