To Create a Mechanism to Replenish the Undergraduate or Graduate Special Fee Buffers

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Action Requested: Approval by 2/3 of the Undergraduate Senate
Approval by 2/3 of the Graduate Student Council

WHEREAS Section 7.A.7 of the Joint By-Laws states:

7. At the time that it [relevant legislative bodies] approves these Schedules [Schedules for the Collection, Disbursement, and Refunds, of the General and Special Fees], the relevant Association legislative bodies shall set the amounts of the following surcharges, and approve line-item budgets for their expenditure where appropriate:

SHALL NOW INCLUDE THE ADDITION:

f. Buffer Recharge Surcharge – in the event that the buffer fund of either undergraduate or graduate population reaches an unsafe level as determined by the Financial Manager in consultation with the Executive Committee the relevant legislative bodies may levy a charge on their respective populations by a 2/3 majority vote to replenish their respective buffer fund of the relevant legislative body. This charge can only be approved for one year at a time.

AND ALL SUBSEQUENT NUMBERED PARAGRAPHS BE RE-NUMBERED APPROPRIATELY.