GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNC ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT GOVERNMENTS

38th SESSION, 2009-2010

RESOLUTION 31 AN ACT HONORING PETER J. M. ROMARY WITH THE 2010 JOHN L. SANDERS STUDENT ADVOCATE AWARD

- **WHEREAS,** Mr. Peter Romary has worked with students at East Carolina University since 1994, and now serves as the University's Director of Student Legal Services; and,
- **WHEREAS,** in this role Mr. Peter Romary has assisted hundreds of East Carolina students on a diverse range of legal concerns, as well as offered mentorship and guidance to several generations of the University's Student Government leaders; and,
- WHEREAS, in addition to his involvement at East Carolina University, Mr. Peter Romary was instrumental in the creation of the North Carolina Higher Education Safety Symposium, an annual event providing education and training on a variety of safety-related issues to students, faculty and staff across North Carolina; and,
- WHEREAS, Mr. Peter Romary also designed a for-credit elective course titled "Personal Safety Issues," providing comprehensive training to students in a number of areas related to individual safety and personal risk management; and,
- WHEREAS, as a practicing attorney, Mr. Peter Romary has also dedicated countless hours of his time on behalf of survivors of domestic violence, providing pro bono legal services, training education officials on how to assist survivors, and testifying before the North Carolina General Assembly on the need for comprehensive domestic violence education and training programs; and,
- WHEREAS, for the impact of his service assisting, training and mentoring students, thereby improving the quality of their University education, Mr. Peter Romary has distinguished himself as a true friend to students throughout the State of North Carolina; now, therefore, be it
- **RESOLVED,** that the University of North Carolina Association of Student Governments hereby names Mr. Peter Romary as the recipient of its 2010 John L. Sanders Student Advocate Award.

I hereby certify the foregoing resolution was read twice and adopted by acclamation in the General Assembly of the UNC Association of Student Governments, this the 27th day of February, 2010.

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Senior Vice President	

I hereby signify my approval of the foregoing resolution as adopted by the General Assembly of the UNC Association of Student Governments, this the 27th day of February, 2010.

T. Greg Doucette
President

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