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Amended 24th May 2012 (410th Meeting Union Council)

This Union Believes that students should live in high-quality, affordable and safe

housing.

This Union Believes that all landlords have a duty of care to their student tenants.

This Union Believes that students should be free to choose from any available type and

location of accommodation.

This Union Believes that the experience of living independently in the community, is for

many, an important part of the overall student experience.

This Union Believes that to sign housing contracts before January for the succeeding

academic year is detrimental to both student finances and welfare as it engenders

increased rents and limited knowledge of future housemates.

This Union Further Believes that it has a duty to support students in finding high-quality,

affordable and safe housing.

This Union Further Believes it should constantly be evaluating its position in the ever

changing landscape of student accommodation and be always looking forward to any

future changes.

This Union Resolves to lobby relevant University or external bodies to maintain high

standards within all university halls; particularly in relation to the provision of food,

pastoral care and communal facilities.

This Union Resolves to lobby the University to ensure that students on third-party halls

receive the same quality of services as those living in university hall.

This Union Resolves to lobby Nottingham City Council to ensure that students are always

reflected positively on their agenda and open communication channels so that students’

opinions are listened to as much as other residents’.

This Union Resolves to support Unipol (and advocate all accommodation providers to join

this charity) which accredits safe, high quality student accommodation.