

RESOLUTION 17/18/01

Halal Dining Options

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WHEREAS: There are 77 international students from Muslim nations at Northeastern State University; and

WHEREAS: Islamic beliefs require following a dietary code known as Halal; and

WHEREAS: Sodexo does not offer Halal options for Muslim students at any university dining locations, despite the large presence of Muslims on campus; and

WHEREAS: The University of Houston SGA has passed similar legislation in the fall of 2013; and

WHEREAS: The University of Houston Dining Services have since provided Halal food choices as a result of the aforementioned legislation; and

WHEREAS: Sodexo has proven able to offer other dietary options, such as Vegan and Vegetarian dietary options; and

WHEREAS: Sodexo has been consulted and believes itself capable to offer such a service.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Request Sodexo offer Halal food options at the Market Café.