Bill # 67-07
The Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA)
The Pennsylvania State University

of the 67th Assembly
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Be it decided by the Assembly of Elected Delegates,

Graduate Student Orientation Materials
Funding for S-books, grocery bags, and other miscellany for GSO
(Decided: [ Y / N / A ])

Nature of the Situation:

The Graduate and Professional Student Association is invited to speak at orientations for dozens
specific departments and programs each year. GPSA also participates in the full International
Graduate Student Orientation and the Graduate School Orientation. During the presentation,
GPSA representatives promote the services GPSA provides and offer to help acclimate new
students to Penn State and State College.

GPSA traditionally has provided pens, magnets, and other items at these orientations. This year,
in accordance with GPSA’s mission of welcoming new students, GPSA desires to provide
graduate students with tote bags, S-books, and other items. The S-Book includes information
about campus and the surrounding communities to help navigate Penn State student and
academic life. Providing new students with these items allows us to broaden our reach on
campus, as well as advertise to those students who may not hear from our organization.

Recommended Course of Action:
The Graduate and Professional Student Association authorizes the purchase of the following
items to be distributed at every Graduate School orientation for the Fall 2017 semester:
1 - 1,000 Reusable grocery bags with the GPSA logo: $1,000
2 - 1,000 S-Books: $1,100
3 - 1,000 Reusable water bottles with the GPSA logo: $3,000
4 - Printed brochures, magnets, stickers, and other materials: $1,500
5 - Assorted snacks $400

Total: $6,000

Respectfully submitted,

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Speaker of the Assembly

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