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Approved unanimously
By the SEC 5/22/2013

A RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
THE SENATE OF THE URBANA-CHAMPAIGN CAMPUS

The Executive Committee affirms and reinforces the Senate's previous positions, expressed in resolutions in 1998 and again in 2004, that the Chief is an inappropriate symbol for the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

The Executive Committee also supports the decision of the University of Illinois Board of Trustees, passed in 2007, that the Chief would no longer be the symbol of the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. We see no need to revisit that decision.

Finally, the Executive Committee also supports the position of Chancellor Phyllis Wise that the Chief is part of our campus's past, not its present or future.

This resolution shall be communicated to the chairs of the Chicago and Springfield Senates, the chair of the University Senates Conference, the three Chancellors and the President, and the Secretary of the University of Illinois Board of Trustees.

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